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All records previous to this volume are in the custody of Em. Sir Henry W. Little, at City Hall, Newburyport.

Newburyport, Mass, April 16. 1911

A special conclave of Newburyport Commandery No. 3 Knights Templars was at the asylum convened at one o'clock today for the purpose of attending the funeral of Sir Knight Rudolph Jacoby, who departed this life Friday morning April 14th.

Present	Em Sir Moody B. Noyes,	E.C.
	" Henry W. Little,	G.
	" Joseph N. Dummer,	C.G.
	" Samuel L. Porter,	S.W.
	" George W. Marquand,	J.W.
	" Edward E. Hicken,	T.
	" Harry W. Bayley,	R.
	" Edward W. Eaton,	St. B.
	" Clarence Danforth,	Sw. B.
	" Albert K. Cheney,	W.
	" James H. Johnston,	Third Guard
	" Charles A. Stockman,	Asst "
	" Samuel J. Ford,	" "
	" Arthur P. Marden,	M.D.
	" Frank W. Rundlett,	S.
	" Irving S. Butler,	Adj.

also Em Sir Moses Brown,
" " Orrin J. Gurney,
" " Charles F. Worthen,
" " John E. McCusker,
" " Benjamin J. Warton,
" " William G. Fisher,
" " George E. Collins,
" " Benjamin H. Young
" " Benjamin Pearson

and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery

Stanley Besse
John M. Bailey
Antonio Barboro
Harold A. Besse
John E. Baumgartner
Herbert C. Bates
LeRoy Berry
Arthur H. Berry
Charles W. Cooke.
Horace E. Carlisle
Clemens E. Davis,

George H. Dow.
William Ford
William Gillis
Charles E. Ives
Greenleaf A. Johnson
Moody Kimball
Paul J. Lowell
Frank L. Lattime
Thomas L. Lawton
Charles P. Lawrence
Matthew H. McKinney.

Henry J. Noyes
Arthur P. Brown
Augustus N. Parry
Warren W. Pillsbury
George E. Philbrook
Walter B. Rogers
Frank M. Swett
Albert F. Swain
Milton S. Thompson
John H. Wheeler

Visitor

Sir Knight Andrew J. Gibson, Palestine Commandery No. 10 Chelsea, Mass.

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars

The lines were formed under the direction of Sir Kt. Adj. Irving S. Butler and proceeded to the residence of our departed Frater No 7 Orange Street.

Here the remains were taken in charge by the Commandery,

Sir Knights James H. Johnston,
Charles A. Stockman,
Samuel J. Ford,
Greenleaf A. Johnson
George E. Philbrook
Matthew H. McKinney

acting as pall bearers, and escorted to the Old South Church where in the presence of the family and a large number of friends of the deceased the beautiful and impressive Templar burial service was performed by Eminent Commander Moody B. Noyes, assisted by Eminent Sir Benjamin H. Young acting as Prelate.

At the conclusion of these services the lines were reformed and the remains of our Departed Frater were escorted by the Commandery to Oak Hill Cemetary, there deposited in their last resting place there to remain "Until the day break and the shadows flee away"

The commandery then returned to the Asylum and the Sir Knights dismissed

Commandery closed

Attest:
Harry W. Bayley
Recorder.

Newburyport, Mass. April 20. 1911.

A stated Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No 3, Knights Templars was convened at the Asylum at 5. o'clock this afternoon.

Present	Em. Sir Moody B. Noyes,	E. C.
	" Henry W. Little,	G.
	" Joseph N. Dummer,	C. G.
	" Samuel L. Porter,	S. W.
	" George W. Marquand,	J. W.
	" Herbert E. Lombard,	P.
	" Harry W. Bayley,	R.
	" Edward W. Eaton,	St. B.
	" Clarence Danforth,	Sw. B.
	" Albert K. Cheney,	W.
	" James H. Johnston,	Third Guard
	" Charles F. Pillsbury,	First "
	" Charles A. Stockman,	Asst "
	" Samuel J. Ford,	" "
	" Fred W. Piper	" "
	" Arthur P. Marden	M. D.
	" Frank H. Rundlett	S.
	" Irving S. Butler	Adj.

also Em Sir Green Davis,
" " Orrin J. Gurney,
" " Charles F. Worthen,
" " Benjamin J. Warton,
" " William G. Fisher,
" " George E. Collins,
" " Benjamin H. Young,
" " Benjamin Pearson.

and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery

William E. Aubin,
Antonio Barboro,
Harold A. Besse.
Herbert C. Bates,
Arthur H. Berry,
Horace E. Carlisle,
Frank P. Currier
Fred England,
George B. Felch
James W. Gurney,
Greenleaf A. Johnson,
Alfred W. Kimball,
Thomas L. Lawton,
Morton B. Merrill
Frederick O. Morse,
Robert J. McKinney,
Charles L. Perkins,
George E. Philbrook,
William J. Riley,
Leonard W. Sargent,
John W. Talbot,

Stanley Besse
William H. Bayley
John E. Baumgartner
Le Roy Berry,
Charles W. Cooke,
Frank S. Collins
Stephen J. Dauphinee
William Ford
William Gillis
Charles E. Ives
Moody Kimball
Eben N. Lambert,
John J. Mason.
George W. Manser
Frank E. Miller
Matthew H. McKinney
Warren W. Pillsbury
Benjamin A. Rogers
Frank M. Swett
Charles R. Scott.
G. Roy Tarbox

John H. Wheeler

Visitors

Sir Kt.	George A. Grant,	Cour de Lion,	Comdy,	Somerville, Mass
"	" A. Schlehuber,	Olivet	"	Lynn "
"	" H. C. Poor	Haverhill	"	Haverhill "
"	" F. E. Paul	"	"	" "
"	" S. C. Ball	"	"	" "
"	" James Graffam	St. George	"	Beverly "
"	" James S. Glover	"	"	" "
"	" Hiram Rathbun,	St. John's	"	Willimantic, Conn.

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars.

The records of the stated Conclave of March 23 and the special Conclave of April 16, were read and declared approved.

The following dispensation was received.

Grand Commandery
of Knights Templars and the Appendant Orders
of Massachusetts and Rhode Island.

206 Masonic Temple, Boston
April 8, 1911.

To the Eminent Commander
Officers and Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery #3 K.T.
Newburyport, Mass.

Sir Knights :-

You are hereby notified that the Rt.: Eminent Grand Commander of the Grand Commandery
Dispensation of New Hampshire, Rt. Em. Sir Stephen S. Jewett, has granted his permission to Newburyport Commandery to enter and leave the Jurisdiction of New Hampshire in full Templar uniform, with music and banners, for the purpose of making a Pilgrimage to the City of Keene, N. H., on June 24, 1911, there to be the guests of Hugh de Payens Commandery of that city, on St. John's Day.

Courteously and Fraternally yours

signed B. W. Rowell
Grand Recorder

The following application was received for the Orders of Knighthood as conferred by Newburyport
Application Commandery
John Comp. John Warren Foster, Amesbury, Mass. Manufacturer.
Warren Born in West Amesbury, Mass., Dec. 20. 1867
Foster. Raised in Bethany Lodge, Merrimac, Mass
Exalted " Trinity Chapter, Amesbury "
Recommended and vouched for by Sir Kts. J. A. Davis, F. M. Swett, Fred England & Em. Sir George E. Collins and referred to a committee consisting of Em. Sir B. H. Young, and Sir Kts. S. L. Porter & Wm. Ford

O. H. Nelson elected.

The committee to whom was referred the application of Comp. Oscar H. Nelson, reported, a ballot was ordered and Comp. Oscar H. Nelson was declared elected to receive the Orders of Knighthood as conferred by Newburyport Commandery

A.P. Wilson elected.

The majority of the committee to whom was referred the application of Comp. Albert P. Wilson, reported, a ballot was ordered and Comp. Albert P. Wilson was declared elected to receive the Orders of Knighthood as conferred by Newburyport Commandery

L.B. Cheney elected.

The majority of the committee to whom was referred the application of Comp. Lawrence B. Cheney reported, a ballot was ordered and Comp. Lawrence B. Cheney was declared elected to receive the Orders of Knighthood, as conferred by Newburyport Commandery

Business in the Commandery was suspended and a Council of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross opened and the first section of the Order was conferred upon

Comp. Lawrence B. Cheney,
" Oscar H. Nelson,
" Albert P. Wilson.

At this time a recess was declared and those present were invited to the banquet room where an elaborate dinner had been prepared by Caterer Sir Knt. A. Schlehuber of Lynn.

Owing to the amount of business to be performed later in the evening the Em. Commander stated that the number of speeches at this time would be limited and called upon our Inspecting Officer Em. Sir William H. Emerson, Grand Sword Bearer also Em. Sir Walter Medding Grand Senior Warden, both of whom made short addresses

A pleasing incident occurred at this time when Em. Commander Moody B. Noyes of Newburyport Commandery arose and requested Em Sir John Tilloton, Eminent Commander of St Johns Commandery #1 of Providence, R.I., and Eminent Commander Jesse Ames of Boston Commandery #2 to arise, the three Eminent Commanders representing the three Commanderies which composed the first Grand Commandery.

The banquet being over a return was made to the Asylum where the business in the Council of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross was suspended and business in the Commandery resumed.

At this time Em. Sir Albert Manley, Deputy Grand Warden entered the Asylum and announced the presence in the ante-room of Em. Sir William H. Emerson, Grand Sword Bearer of the Grand Sword Bearer of the Grand Commandery of Massachusetts and Rhode Island who was present with his suite for the purpose of making his
Official Inspection.

The Eminent Commander stated that he recognized the authority of the Inspecting Officer and would forthwith wait upon him with a committee and appointed as that committee

Em Sir Green Davis
" " Orrin J. Gurney
" " Charles F. Worthen
" " Benjamin J. Warton
" " George E. Collins
" " Benjamin H. Young
" " Benjamin Pearson

who with Sir Knight Guil. Henry W. Little were escorted by the Guards to the ante-room

The lines of Sir Knights in full regalia were drawn up on both sides of the Asylum under the direction of Sir Kt. Adj. Irving S. Butler

The committee returned escorting the Grand Officers to the East and Sir Kt. Generalissimo introduced the Inspecting officer to Eminent Commander Noyes, who was then introduced to the members of the suite as follows.

R. Em. Sir	Charles R. Litchfield	P. G. Com of G. Com.	Mass & R. I.
" " "	W. H. H. Soule	" " "	" " "
" "	Walter I. Medding	G. S. W.	" " "
" "	R. Walter Hilliard	G. W.	" " "
" "	Isaac Chase	G. L.	" " "
" "	H. H. Litchfield	G. L.	" " "
" "	John Tillotson	E. C. St. John's #1	Prov. R. I.
" "	Jesse Ames	E. C. Boston #2	Boston, Mass
" "	Albert Hanley	Deputy G. Warder.	

The Inspecting officer then called for the Charter, Records, By Laws, Constitution and announced the presence of Rituals as follows

Red Cross, Temple & Malta	#5253
" " "	2843, 2844, 4152
Malta	1009,
Prelate	427.

The official count was taken and resulted as follows

Members of Newburyport Commandery in uniform	57
" " " " not " "	6
Visitors other than suite	3

Business in the Commandery was suspended and resumed in the Council of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross, and

Red Cross Comp. Lawrence B. Cheney
" Oscar H. Nelson
" Albert P. Wilson

were constituted members of the Order

The Inspecting Officer stated that the purpose of his visit having been accomplished he would with his suite retire.

The committee assembled and escorted the visitors to the ante-room.

The Council of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross was closed and business in the Commandery resumed.

Commandery closed.

Attest;
Harry W. Bayley
Recorder.

Newburyport, Mass, May 18. 1911

A stated conclave of Newburyport Commandery No 3, Knights Templars was convened at the asylum this evening.

Present.	Em Sir	Moody B. Noyes,	E.C.
	"	Henry W. Little,	G.
	"	Joseph N. Dummer,	C.G.
	"	Samuel L. Porter,	S.W.
	"	George W. Marquand,	J.W.
	"	Herbert E. Lombard,	P.
	"	Edward E. Hicken,	T.
	"	Harry W. Bayley,	R.
	"	Clarence Danforth,	Sw. B.
	"	Albert K. Cheney	W.
	"	James H. Johnston,	Third Guard
	"	Charles F. Pillsbury,	First "
	"	Charles A. Stockman,	Asst "
	"	Fred W. Piper,	" "
	"	Arthur P. Marden,	M.D.
	"	Frank H. Rundlett,	S.
	"	Irving S. Butler,	Adj.

also Em Sir Green Davis
" " Charles F. Worthen
" " Benjamin J. Norton
" " Benjamin Pearson

and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery.

W. E. Aubin,
A. H. Berry,
Fred England,
J. W. Gurney,
G. E. Philbrook,
F. M. Swett

J. E. Baumgartner,
F. P. Currier,
William Ford,
J. L. Jacoby,
C. R. Scott,
A. F. Swain.

Visitor.

Sir Kt. Hiram Rathburn, St. John's Commandery, Willimantic, Conn.

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars.

The records of the previous conclave were read and approved.

A letter was received from Sir Knight Joseph L. Jacoby thanking the Commandery for the courtesies extended to his father the late Sir Kt. Rudolph Jacoby and for the services rendered at his funeral.

A letter was received from Sir Kt. Leon C. Norwood, of Hugh de Payens Commandery of Keene, N.H. stating that it was their desire that we should arrive in Keene as early as 9 o'clock A.M. on Saint John's Day in order that their arrangements might be carried out.

The Eminent Commander stated that this matter would be brought to the attention of the committee

The following application for the Orders of Knighthood was received.

application
Charles F. Silloway

Companion Charles F. Sillaway, Newburyport, Mass.
Born in Newburyport, Mass, Oct. 17. 1870
Raised in St. Mark's Lodge, Newburyport, Mass.
Exalted in King Cyrus Chapter " "
Recommended and vouched for by Sir Knights Irving S. Butler, Arthur P. Marden & Frank M. Swett and referred to a committee consisting of Sir Kts. James H. Johnston, Charles A. Stockman & Albert K. Cheney

John W. Foster elected.

The committee to whom was referred the application of Comp. John Warren Foster, reported, a ballot was ordered and Comp. John Warren Foster was declared elected to receive the Orders of Knighthood as conferred by Newburyport Commandery.

The Eminent Commander reported that the Committee on celebration of Saint John's Day had held several meetings and had engaged the Woburn Brass Band, who would arrive in Newburyport the night before, that there would be an entertainment and concert at the Asylum that the transportation committee were arranging for a special train to convey us to and from Keene, and that the assessment would be $10. for each Sir Knight participating and as it would be necessary that there should be at least 75 Sir Knights go on the pilgrimage he hoped that as many as could do so would arrange to go in order that a good showing might be made

Sir Kt. Henry W. Little stated that one of our most enthusiastic Sir Knights, Samuel J. Ford was at the Homeopathic Hospital having undergone an operation and on his motion it was unanimously voted that the Recorder convey to him the sympathy of the Commandery in his illness and the hope for a speedy and complete recovery and that the message be accompanied by a bouquet of flowers.

On motion of the Recorder it was voted that a page of our records be set apart to the memory of our late Sir Knight, Rudolph Jacoby.

The Eminent Commander appointed Em. Sir Geo. E. Collins as a committee to interview the Amesbury Sir Knights in relation to going on the St. John's Day pilgrimage and Sir Knights Fred W. Piper and Arthur P. Marden to serve in the same capacity with the Newburyport members.

The Order of the Temple was conferred upon
Comp. Oscar H. Nelson
" Laurence B. Cheney.

Commandery closed.
attest:- Henry W. Bayley Recorder

In Memoriam

Rudolph Jacoby

Born October 5, 1853

Richmond Lodge No. 230, A.F. & A.M., Philadelphia, Pa.

Entered Apprentice	July, 14, 1875
Fellowcraft,	August 11, 1875
Master Mason	September 8, 1875

King Cyrus Chapter R.A.M.

Mark Master	December 13, 1883
Past Master	December 13, 1883
Most Excellent Master	January 10, 1884
Royal Arch Mason	February 11, 1884

Amesbury Council, R.& S.M.

Royal Master	March 8, 1889
Select Master	April 25, 1889
Super Excellent Master	June 17, 1889

Newburyport Commandery No. 3, K.T.

Illustrious Order of the Red Cross,	March 20, 1884
Order of the Temple	April 17, 1884
Order of Malta	April 17, 1884

Died April 14, 1911

Newburyport Mass. June 15. 1911

A stated Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No. 3, Knights Templars was convened at the Asylum this evening

Present	Em Sir Moody B. Noyes	E. C.
	" Henry W. Little	G.
	" Joseph N. Dummer	C. G.
	" Samuel L. Porter	S. W.
	" George W. Marquand	J. W.
	" Herbert E. Lombard	P.
	" Edward E. Hicken	T.
	" Harry W. Bayley	R.
	" Clarence Danforth	Sw. B.
	" Albert K. Cheney	W.
	" James H. Johnston	Third Guard
	" Charles F. Pillsbury	First "
	" Charles A. Stockman	Asst. "
	" Fred W. Piper	" "
	" Arthur P. Marden	M. D.
	" Frank H. Rundlett	S.
	" Irving S. Butler	Adj.

also Em Sir George E. Collins
" " B. J. Warton

and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery

A. H. Berry,
J. A. Davis,
Fred England,
C. E. Ives,
T. L. Lawton
C. R. Scott.
A. F. Swain

Le Roy Berry
H. E. Dodge
William Ford
Moody Kimball
G. E. Philbrook
F. M. Swett
J. W. Talbot

Visitor

Sir Kt. Hiram Rathburn, St. Johns Commandery, Willimantic Conn.

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars.

The records of the previous conclave were read and declared approved.

The following dispensation was received.

Grand Commandery of
Knights Templars and the Appendant Orders
of Massachusetts and Rhode Island.

Office of the R.: E.: Grand Commander
General Orders #5 15 Grace St., Malden, Mass
Series 1910-1911. May, 24. 1911.

To the Eminent Commanders, Officers and Sir Knights of the Jurisdiction of Massachusetts and Rhode Island:- Greeting:

Saint Johns Day Dispensation

In order that the several Commanderies of this Jurisdiction may observe the Anniversary of St. Johns Day by a Pilgrimage or Field Day,

I, by virtue of the power in me vested as the Grand Commander of the Grand Commandery of Massachusetts and Rhode Island, hereby grant this, my dispensation, authorizing the Commanderies throughout this Jurisdiction to parade within this jurisdiction in full Templar uniform, with or without banners and music, during the period between and including the 20th and 27th days of June, 1911 for the purpose of celebrating the anniversary of St. Johns Day.

Due and proper return will be made to me of the action had under this authority within thirty days of its acceptance, and this dispensation filed in the Archives of the Commandery and spread in full upon its records.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Grand Commandery this 24th day of May A.D. 1911, A.O. 793

Seal

Attest: B. W. Rowell
Grand Recorder

J. Albert Blake
Grand Commander

The following telegram was received from Hugh De Payens Commandery.

Winchester, N.H. June 15. 1911

Newburyport Commandery
Newburyport, Mass.
All aboard for Chesterfield June twenty-fourth. Our greetings.

Signed A.W. Pressler
Commander.

The following applications were received for the Orders of Knighthood as conferred by Newburyport Commandery.

Willard A Hatch application

Comp. Willard Alonzo Hatch, Newburyport, Salesman,
Raised in Saint John's Lodge, Newburyport
Exalted in King Cyrus Chapter "
Born in Boston, Mass June 24. 1874.
Recommend and vouched for by Sir Kts. A.P. Marden, H.W. Bayley, I.S. Butler & H.E. Dodge and referred to a committee consisting of Em. Sir Gorm Davis and Sir Kts. Moody Kimball & James H Johnston

Daniel A Lunt application

Companion Daniel Aaron Lunt, Newburyport, Merchant.
Born in Newbury, Mass. March 31. 1866.
Raised in St. John's Lodge Newburyport.
Exalted in King Cyrus Chapter "
Recommended and vouched for by Sir Kts. I.S. Butler, H.W. Bayley, A.K. Cheney & Clarence Danforth and referred to a committee consisting of Em. Sir B.J. Waiton & Sir Kts. H.W. Little and A.P. Marden.

John T. Litch application

Comp. John T. Litch, Byfield, Salesman
Born in Byfield, Mass. March. 9. 1880.
Raised in St. Johns Lodge, Newburyport
Exalted in King Cyrus Chapter "
Recommended and vouched for by Sir Kts. A.P. Marden, C.A. Stockman, I.S. Butler & H.W. Bayley and referred to a committee consisting of Em Sir Benj. Pearson, LeRoy Berry, & C.F. Pillsbury

Charles F. Silloway elected.

The committee to whom the application of Comp. Charles F. Silloway was referred, reported, a ballot was ordered and Comp. Charles F. Silloway was declared elected to receive the Order of Knighthood as conferred by Newburyport Commandery

Red Cross.

The business in the Commandery was suspended and a Council of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross opened, and the Order conferred upon
Companion John W. Foster
" Charles F. Silloway

The Council of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross was closed and business in the Commandery resumed.

Voted that the next stated Conclave of the Commandery be held the third Thursday of September next.

Commandery closed

Attest:
Harry W. Bayley
Recorder.

Newburyport, Mass, June 16. 1911

A special meeting of Newburyport Commandery No 3 Knights Templars was convened at the Asylum this evening.

Present Em. Sir Moody B. Noyes E. C.
" Joseph N. Dummer C. G.
" Samuel L. Foster. S. W.
" George W. Marquand, J. W.
" Herbert E. Lombard P.
" Harry W. Bayley R.
" Clarence Danforth Sw. B.
" Albert H. Cheney W.
" Charles F. Pillsbury First Guard
" Charles A. Stockman Asst. "
" Fred W. Piper " "
" Arthur P. Marden M. D.
" Frank H. Rundlett S.
" Irving S. Butler Adj.

also Em Sir Moses Brown
" " George E. Collins

and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery

W. E. Aubin, A. H. Berry
L. B. Cheney, Fred England
H. E. Dodge, William Ford
C. E. Ives A. W. Kimball
O. H. Nelson F. M. Swett.
G. E. Philbrook C. R. Scott.
J. W. Talbot.

Visitor

Sir Kt. Hiram Rathburn, St. Johns Commandery, Willimantic Conn.

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars.

The Order of the Temple was conferred upon
Companion Albert P. Wilson
" John W. Foster
" Charles F. Silloway

On the request of the Eminent Commander, Em. Sir Moses Brown was escorted to the head of the lines and in his usual graceful manner conferred the Order of Malta upon
Sir Knight Charles R. Scott.
" " William E. Aubin
" " Arthur H. Berry.
" " Lawrence B. Cheney
" " Oscar H. Nelson
" " Albert P. Wilson
" " Charles F. Silloway
" " John W. Foster.

Commandery closed

Attest:
Harry W. Bayley
Recorder.

Newburyport, Mass, June 24. 1911

A special Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No 3. Knights Templar was convened at the Asylum at 6.00 o'clock this morning for the purpose of making a Pilgrimage to Keene, N.H., as the guests of Hugh de Payens Commandery of that city.

Present. Em. Sir Moody B. Noyes, E. C.
" Henry W. Little, G.
" Joseph N. Dummer, C. G.
" Samuel L. Porter, S. W.
" George W. Marquand, J. W.
" Edward E. Hicken, T.
" Harry W. Bayley, R.
" Clarence Danforth, Sw. B.
" Albert K. Cheney, W.
" James H. Johnston, Third Guard
" Charles F. Pillsbury, First "
" Charles A. Stockman, Asst. "
" Fred W. Piper, " "
" Arthur P. Marden, M. O.
" Frank H. Rundlett, S.
" Irving S. Butler, adj.

also Em. Sir Green Davis
" " Orrin J. Gurney
" " Benjamin J. Warton
" " William G. Fisher
" " George E. Collins
" " Benjamin Pearson

and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery

A. J. Anderson,
H. C. Bates,
F. L. Burke,
Stanley Besse,
F. S. Collins,
J. A. Davis,
H. E. Dodge,
William Ford,
G. A. Fogg,
J. W. Gurney,
J. L. Jacoby,
W. F. Lunt.
C. P. Lawrence,
R. J. McKinney,
H. J. Noyes,
A. N. Parry,
F. Richardson,
J. A. Rowell,
G. H. Stevens,
C. R. Scott,
W. C. Patterson,
W. J. Webster,

W. E. Aubin,
G. L. Bean,
P. H. Bollman,
LeRoy Berry,
John Currier,
E. F. Dempsey,
C. E. Davis,
D. H. Fowle,
J. W. Foster,
G. A. Johnson,
A. W. Kimball,
E. N. Lambert,
J. L. Morrill,
M. H. McKinney,
F. G. Newton,
Isaac Poor,
B. A. Rogers,
G. M. Swett,
C. S. Spaulding,
C. F. Silloway,
G. R. Tarbox,
J. H. Wheeler
A. P. Wilson.

H. A. Besse,
J. E. Baumgartner,
F. M. Burke,
A. H. Berry,
L. B. Cheney,
S. J. Dauphinee,
Fred England,
J. E. Fowle,
C. E. Ives,
Moody Kimball
P. J. Lowell,
T. L. Lawton,
J. J. Mason,
W. H. Noyes,
O. H. Nelson,
A. G. Quimby,
W. J. Riley,
L. W. Sargent,
A. F. Swain,
J. W. Talbot,
G. W. Worcester,
J. H. Walker

Visitors

Sir Kt. W. R. Butler, Joseph Warren, Commandery, Boston
" " Henry W. Clark. Hugh de Payens " Melrose
" " Andrew J. Gibson, Palestine " Chelsea
" " Hiram Rathburn, St. John's " Willimantic, Conn
" " G. H. Saunders, St. Lawrence " Canton, N.Y.
" " M. Perry Sargent.

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templar

The Eminent Commander read the notice stating the purpose for which this special Conclave had been called and ordered Sir Kt. Adj. Irving S. Butler to form the lines.

This was done in short order and the Commandery proceeded to the street where the Woburn Brass Band was in waiting and escorted the Commandery down State St, up Green through Washington St to the B+M. Station where a special train was in waiting.

Leaving the station at 6.30 A.M, the train in charge of Em. Sir Benjamin J Warton, Conductor, a good run was made to Keene, N.H, arriving there about 10.30 where we were received by Hugh de Payens Commandery at the depot.

The lines were promptly formed and Newburyport Commandery was escorted by Hugh de Payens Commandery over a short route, thence to the Armory where a short address of welcome was made by Em. Sir Adolf W. Pressler of Hugh de Payens Commandery which was replied to by Em. Sir Noyes in behalf of Newburyport Commandery.

Regalia were then laid aside and all were invited to enter automobiles which had been provided by our hosts and a very pleasant ride through the hills was taken to Spofford Lake, a beautiful spot situated in Chesterfield, N.H, about twelve miles from Keene.

Arriving here the day was given over to enjoyment and pleasure, until dinner was announced at Pine Grove Springs Hotel on the bank of the lake.

Dinner over a ball game between the Sir Knights of both Commanderies was indulged in resulting (it is said) in a tie.

About 5.15 o'clock we left the lake and journeyed back to Keene, and to the Armory where regalia were donned, the lines formed and we were escorted back to the depot.

Previous to embarking, each Sir Knight of Newburyport Commandery was presented

a souvenir for the ladies.

Three cheers and a tiger were given by the Newburyport Sir Knights for the courtesies extended by Hugh de Payens Commandery, which was responded to by the Keene fraters.

The cars were then boarded for the return to Newburyport, arriving home about 10.40 P.M.

Commandery closed

Attest:
Harry W. Bayley
Recorder.

Newburyport, Mass. Sep. 21, 1911

The Annual Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No. 3. Knights Templars was convened at the Asylum this evening.

Present.	Em. Sir	Moody B. Noyes,	E.C.
	"	Henry W. Little,	G.
	"	Joseph N. Dummer,	C.G.
	"	Samuel L. Porter,	S.W.
	"	George W. Marquand,	J.W.
	"	Edward E. Hicken	T.
	"	Harry W. Bayley	R.
	"	Clarence Danforth	Sw.B.
	"	Albert K. Cheney	W.
	"	James H. Johnston	Third Guard
	"	Gorham D. Rogers	Second "
	"	Charles F. Pillsbury	First "
	"	Charles A. Stockman	Asst. "
	"	Fred W. Piper	" "
	"	Arthur P. Marden	M.D.
	"	Frank H. Rundlett	S.
	"	Irving S. Butler	Adj.

also Em Sir Gerri Davis
" " Moses Brown
" " Charles F. Worthen
" " Benjamin J. Warton
" " George E. Collins
" " Benjamin Pearson

and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery.

W. E. Aubin, LeRoy Berry, H. A. Besse,
L. B. Cheney, C. W. Cooke, F. P. Currier,
J. A. Davis, H. E. Dodge, Fred England,
William Ford, F. W. Kimball, T. L. Lawton,
O. H. Nelson, L. P. Page, F. M. Swett,
J. W. Talbot, G. R. Tarbox, J. G. B. Welch.

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars.

The records of the stated conclave of June 16, and the special conclave of June 24, were read and declared approved.

A communication was received from the Grand Commander calling attention to the previous circular relating to the contribution of funds to the Henry Warren Rugg Monument and Memorial Fund, requesting that the matter be brought before the Commandery.

The motion of Em. Sir Collins "that Newburyport Commandery send $25. for the above purpose, was put and declared not a vote.

On motion of Em. Sir Worthen it was voted that Newburyport Commandery send from its funds the sum of $10. for the Henry Warren Rugg Monument and Memorial Fund.

The motion of Em. Sir Davis that the above vote be reconsidered was put and declared not a vote.

The following application was received for the Orders of Knighthood as conferred by Newburyport Commandery:-

James William Clark Application

Comp. James William Clark. Amesbury Mass. Automobile Body Mfr.
Born in Amesbury June 23. 1873.
Raised in Warren Lodge, Amesbury.
Exalted in Trinity Chapter "
Recommended and vouched for by Sir Kts. Frank S. Collins, Geo. E. Collins, Samuel L. Porter and Frank M. Swett, and referred to a committee consisting of Em. Sir C. F. Worthen and Sir Knights Wm. Ford and F. P. Currier.

John T. Litch elected.

The committee to whom was referred the application of Comp. John T. Litch, reported, a ballot was ordered and Comp. John T. Litch was declared elected to receive the Orders of Knighthood as conferred by Newburyport Commandery

Danl. A. Lunt elected.

The committee to whom was referred the application of Comp. Daniel A. Lunt, reported, a ballot was ordered and Comp. Daniel A. Lunt was declared elected to receive the orders of Knighthood as conferred by Newburyport Commandery

Willard A Hatch elected.

The majority of the committee to whom was referred the application of Comp. Willard A. Hatch, reported, a ballot was ordered and Comp. Willard A. Hatch was declared elected to receive the Order of Knighthood as conferred by Newburyport Commandery

The Recorder read the following report.

Newburyport, Sep. 21. 1911.

To the Eminent Commander, Officers and Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery.

I beg leave to render the following as the report of the Recorder for the year now ending:-

Membership.

Membership Sep. 30. 1910.	Active	207	
	Honorary	4	
	Total		211
Admitted during the year			9
	Total		220
Died during the year		2	
Dimitted " " "		1	
	Total		3
Membership Sep. 21. 1911	Active	213	
	Honorary	4	217

Receipts

Received for	Orders	$450.	
	Back Dues	248.	
	Dues 1910	559.	
	Advance Dues	9.	
	St. John's Day 1911	958.79	
	Travelling cards	1.50	
	Commandery badges	14.50	
	Masonic Home Templar Fund	41.33	
Paid to Treasurer as per vouchers.			$2282.12

Condition of Dues.

Dues unpaid Sep. 12. 1910	$461.	
" charged to " 30. 1911	818.	
" " " Dec. 31. "	1.	
" " " Sep. 30. 1912	8	
Total.		$1288.
Dues remitted by vote of Commandery	$92.	
" unpaid at time of death	4	96
		$1192.
Dues paid during the year		816.
Dues unpaid Sep. 11. 1911.		$376

Classification of Dues.

4	Sir Knights owe	$1. each	$4.	
2	" " "	2. "	4.	
1	" " "	3. "	3.	
38	" " "	4. "	152.	
1	" " "	6. "	6.	
1	" " "	7. "	7.	
14	" " "	8. "	112.	
1	" " "	11. "	11.	
4	" " "	12. "	48.	
1	" " "	13. "	13.	
1	" " "	16. "	16.	$376.

23 Sir Knights owe five or more quarters dues amounting to $213.

Respectfully submitted
Harry W. Bayley Recorder

The Recorder reported the names of 16 Sir Knights who owed five or more quarters dues, and had not paid the same since notification.

The Treasurer rendered the following:-

Newburyport, Mass, Sept. 21. 1911.

To the Eminent Commander, Officers and Members of Newburyport Commandery.

I submit the following report for the year ending Sept. 21. 1911

Receipts.

Cash on hand at beginning of year	$34.51	
Received from H.W. Bayley, Recorder	2282.12	
Total receipts.		$2316.63

Expenditures

Per Capita Tax	$87.75	
Recorder's Salary	50.	
Past Commander's Jewel	50.	
Banquets & Cigars	311.48	
Flowers	22.50	
Prelate's Regalia	40.	
Printing	71.60	
Rent & Gas	186.49	
Masonic Home Fund	51.33	
St. John's Day outing	989.58	
Trustees Permant Fund	45.	
H.W. Bayley, Postage &c	68.65	
Miscellaneous	169.65	
Total expenditures		$2144.03
Balance in First Nat'l. Bank		$172.60
On deposit 5¢ Savings Bank		642.42
Total amount in hands of Treasurer		$815.02

Respectfully submitted
Edward E. Hicken
Treasurer

Em. Sir Green Davis rendered the following as the
Report of Trustee of Permanent Fund.

On deposit 5¢ Savings Bank Sep. 1910.	$449.08
Received as 10% of Order Fees	45.
" " interest	9.93
On deposit 5¢ Savings Bank Sep. 1911.	$504.01

The Eminent Commander reported that the Auditing Committee had examined the accounts of the Recorder, Treasurer and Trustee of the Permanent Fund and found them all correct and properly vouched.

Voted that the several reports be accepted and spread upon the records.

The Em. Commander reported the serious illness of Em. Sir William G. Fisher at the Anna Jaques Hospital.

Em. Sir Pearson moved that "realizing the serious illness of Em Sir Fisher, it would be fitting that a letter of sympathy be sent to him and his family and that flowers accompany our letter to him" and it was unanimously voted so to do.

This being the Annual Conclave and the time for nominating and electing officers for the ensuing year, the Eminent Commander appointed Eminent Sirs Green Davis, Charles F. Worthen and Benjamin Pearson as a committee to receive, sort and count votes and ordered ballots to be cast for Eminent Commander with the following result:-

Eminent Commander.

	Whole number of votes cast.	35
	Necessary for a choice	18
1st Ballot	Em. Sir Moody B. Noyes had	30
	" Henry W. Little "	5.

Em Sir Noyes thanked the Sir Knights for the courtesy of reelecting him as Eminent Commander but declined the honor and called for a second ballot with the following result.

2d Ballot	Whole number of votes cast	40.
	Sir Kt. Henry W. Little had	40

and was declared unanimously elected, and he accepted the honor with thanks.

The following was the result of the vote for Generalissimo.

Whole number of votes cast	35
Sir Kt. Joseph N. Dummer had	35

and was declared unanimously elected, and he accepted the office.

Captain General.

Whole number of votes cast	41
Sir Kt. Samuel L. Porter had	41

and was declared unanimously elected and he accepted the office.

Senior Warden

Whole number of votes cast	28
Necessary for choice	15.
Sir Kt. Gorham D. Rogers had	19.
" " Albert K. Cheney "	4
" " George W. Marquand "	2.
" " Charles F. Pillsbury "	1
" " Harold A. Besse "	1
" " James H. Johnston "	1

and Sir Kt. Gorham D. Rogers was declared elected and he accepted the office.

Junior Warden 1st Ballot.

Whole number of votes cast	38
Necessary for choice	20.
Sir Kt. Charles F. Pillsbury had	18.
" " Herbert E. Dodge "	7
" " James H. Johnston "	6
" " Albert K. Cheney "	6
" " Harold A. Besse "	1

and there was no choice.

Junior Warden 2d Ballot

Whole number of votes cast	36
Necessary for choice	19
Sir Kt. Charles F. Pillsbury had	15
" " James H. Johnston "	14
" " Albert K. Cheney "	6
" " Herbert E. Dodge "	1

and there was no choice.

Junior Warden 3d Ballot.

Whole number of votes cast.	35
Necessary for choice	18
Sir Kt. James H. Johnston had	21
" " Charles F. Pillsbury "	10
" " Albert K. Cheney "	4

and Sir Kt. Johnston was declared elected and he accepted the office.

On motion of Em. Sir Davis it was voted that the Recorder cast one ballot bearing the name of Em. Sir Moses Brown as Prelate for the ensuing year.

The ballot was cast and the Em. Commander declared Em. Sir Brown unanimously elected and he accepted the office.

On motion of Em. Sir Collins it was voted that the Recorder cast one ballot bearing the name of Sir Kt. Edward E. Hicken as Treasurer for the ensuing year.

The Recorder cast the ballot and the Em. Commander declared Sir Kt. Hicken unanimously elected Treasurer and he accepted the office.

On motion of Em. Sir Warton it was voted that the Treasurer cast one ballot bearing the name of Sir Kt. Harry W. Bayley as Recorder for the ensuing year.

The Treasurer attended to that duty and Sir Kt. Bayley was declared unanimously elected Recorder and he accepted the office.

On motion of Em. Sir Pearson it was voted that the Recorder cast one ballot bearing the name of Em. Sir Geo. Davis as Trustee of the Permanent Fund for three years.

The Recorder cast the ballot and Em. Sir Davis was declared unanimously elected and he accepted the office.

On motion of Em. Sir Collins it was voted that the salary of the Recorder for the ensuing year be the same as for the year past, viz: $50.

On motion of Sir Kt. Marden it was voted that a page of the records be set apart to the memory of the late Sir Kt. Daniel F. Noyes.

On motion of Sir Kt. Henry W. Little it was voted that Em. Sir Warton be a committee of one to procure a Past Commander's Jewel for Em. Sir Noyes.

Commandery closed

Attest:
Harry W. Bayley
Recorder

In Memoriam

Daniel F. Noyes

Born May 24, 1848.

Saint John's Lodge, A.F.&A.M.

Entered Apprentice	December 2, 1897.
Fellowcraft	January 6, 1898.
Master Mason	March 4, 1898.

King Cyrus Chapter, R.A.M.

Mark Master	February 9, 1899.
Past Master	March 9, 1899.
Most Excellent Master	March 9, 1899.
Royal Arch Mason	April 13, 1899.

Amesbury Council R.&S.M.

Royal Master	June 28, 1899.
Select Master	July 20, 1899.
Super Excellent Master	August 3, 1899.

Newburyport Commandery No. 3, K.T.

Red Cross	April 17, 1901.
Temple	May 16, 1901.
Malta	July 2, 1901.

Died July 9. 1911

Newburyport, Mass. Oct. 19. 1911

A stated Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No 3, Knights Templars was convened at the Asylum this evening.

Present	Em. Sir	Moody B. Noyes	E. C.
	"	Henry W. Little	G.
	"	Joseph N. Dummer	C. G.
	"	Samuel L. Porter	S. W.
	"	Edward E. Hicken	T.
	"	Harry W. Bayley	R.
	"	Clarence Danforth	Sw. B.
	"	Albert K. Cheney	W.
	"	James H. Johnston,	Third Guard
	"	Gorham D. Rogers	Second "
	"	Charles F. Pillsbury	First "
	"	Charles A. Stockman	Asst. "
	"	Samuel J. Ford	" "
	"	Fred W. Piper	" "
	"	Arthur P. Marden	M. D.
	"	Frank H. Rundlett	S.
	"	Irving S. Butler	Adj

also Em Sir Green Davis
" " C. F. Worthen
" " B. J Warton
" " G. E. Collins
" " Benj H. Young.

and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery

J. M. Bailey,
F. P. Currier,
William Ford,
A. W. Kimball,
Isaac Poor,
C. R. Scott,
C. W. Cooke,
C. E. Davis,
J. W. Gurney,
T. L. Lawton,
C. E. Ives,
C. F. Silloway,
H. E. Carlisle,
L. B. Cheney,
Moody Kimball,
M. B. Merrill,
F. M. Swett,
O. H. Nelson

Visitor
Sir Kt. Hiram Rathburn, St John's Commandery, Willimantic, Ct.

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars.

The records of the previous Conclave were read and declared approved.

The following notice was received.

Grand Commandery of
Knights Templars of Massachusetts and
Rhode Island.
Office of the Grand Commander.

In Memoriam

Right Eminent Sir Samuel Crocker Lawrence.
Past Grand Commander
Died September 24, 1911.

General Orders Malden, Mass. Oct. 10. 1911
Series 1910-1911-, No 6.

To the Officers and Members of the Grand Commandery and all subordinate Commanderies of the States of Massachusetts and Rhode Island, and to the Fraters of sister jurisdictions.

"He has gone, but his memory liveth;
He is dead, his example is here;
The sweetness and fragrance it giveth
Will linger for many a year".

A valiant and magnanimous Knight of the Order has been called by the Grand Commander of the Universe. Right Eminent Sir Samuel Crocker Lawrence passed to the Grand Asylum above at his home in Medford, Mass., on Sunday, September 24, 1911.

He was truly a good man - one honored, respected and loved by men of all classes, conditions and creeds, one who exemplified the great principles of Truth, Justice and Toleration.

He will be sadly missed, but we know that the good he has done will live after him and that his example remains to stimulate us to devote our lives to the cause of all that is just, right and true.

The funeral services in honor of this valiant Knight were held Wednesday afternoon, September 27, in the Lawrence Armory in Medford. In keeping with the modest and unassuming nature of the one who had departed, they were simple and brief. From 12 noon to 1 o'clock, P.M. the body lay in state in the Rotunda, and at 2.15 the service was conducted by Sir Knight and Rev. Frederick W. Hamilton, D.D., President of Tufts College, assisted by the Harvard Male Quartette.

During the noon hour while the body lay in state, a constant stream of people filed into the Rotunda and viewed the face of their departed friend. Hundreds of school children with their teachers and parents, the local trades people who had closed their stores, and many persons from all parts of Medford and from neighboring cities were in the procession.

Right Eminent Sir Lawrence was born in Medford, Mass., November 22, 1832, the son of Daniel and Elizabeth Crocker Lawrence. His ancestry may be traced back through twenty-four generations to the English family of Lawrence in the twelfth century, one of whom was knighted by King Richard Coeur de Lion for bravery in the siege of Acre.

His early education was obtained in the Medford schools. He finished the course in the High School in 1847, and fitted for Harvard College at Lawrence Academy at Groton, and was graduated with honor in the celebrated class of 1855. In college he was a member of the Phi Beta Kappa Society. He was particularly proficient in the higher mathematics and in 1858 he received the degree of A.M.

In early manhood General Lawrence started on two lines of activity in which he afterwards became famous, military affairs and Masonry.

The year he was graduated from College found him a Third Lieutenant in the Lawrence Light Guard (Company E. 5th Regiment), which was named in honor of his father.

In 1859 he was promoted to be Colonel of the Fifth Regiment. Believing that war between the states was inevitable, Colonel Lawrence began to get his regiment in readiness. With Gen. Benjamin F. Butler he urged upon Governor Banks and later Governor Andrews, the necessity of preparedness. One result of his early activity was the great review of the State Troops under Governor Banks in 1859, the first muster of the entire militia of Massachusetts. When the call came from President Lincoln for troops in 1861, Colonel Lawrence was attending a mass meeting in the Medford Town Hall. Word was sent to his seat on the stage. He made the closing address of the meeting and in simple language he pledged his own service and life to the cause of the Nation, and besought every able-bodied citizen of the town to show his patriotism.

On April 18 he issued marching orders to his command. These were taken by his brother, Daniel W. Lawrence, to the commanders of the different companies during the dark hours of the night before the 19th of April, and it is a notable coincidence that Mr. Lawrence's hurried journey followed the same route taken by Paul Revere just eighty-six years before in his famous Midnight Ride.

Colonel Lawrence was with his regiment at the Battle of Bull Run and was wounded in the side by a splinter from a shattered tree. He was left for dead on the field of battle. Afterwards an adjutant discovered what he supposed was his lifeless body among the inanimate forms of the soldiers. With the assistance of another soldier the adjutant carried Colonel Lawrence to a brook, where he was revived: then by slow stages they worked their way from the field into the Union lines. Ten days after the battle the regiment was mustered out of service. Colonel Lawrence, although suffering much from his wound, returned with his command and on its arrival home received an enthusiastic ovation from the people of Boston and neighboring towns.

When the war broke out President Lincoln offered Colonel Lawrence a Colonelcy in the Regular Army, but he knew his men, between whom and himself there was a strong attachment, and he preferred to stay with them. It was afterwards confessed by West Pointers that Colonel Lawrence was their equal in everything that pertained to a complete soldier.

On July 9. 1862, he was commissioned by Gov. John A. Andrew as Brigadier-General of the State Militia, which rank he resigned Aug. 20. 1864.

In July 1863, occurred the draft riot in Boston. Brigadier General Lawrence reported under a special order at the State House at the outbreak of the riot, and remained in service under arms until quiet was restored.

For many years General Lawrence was an active member of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Boston, the oldest military organization in the country, and in 1869 he was its commander.

Foremost in Masonry. For many years General Lawrence had been one of the most prominent members of the Masonic Fraternity in the country. During the years 1909 and 1910 he held the exalted position of Sovereign Grand Commander of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite 33d degree

of the Northern Masonic Jurisdiction.

He received his first degrees in Masonry, October 5, 1854, in Hiram Lodge of West Cambridge (now Arlington) and October 26 he was made a Master Mason. When Mt. Hermon Lodge of Medford was instituted that same year he was one of the thirteen charter members, and at the time of his death was the only surviving charter member. He was the sixth Worshipful Master of the Lodge, 1862 to 1865.

During the years 1881, 1882, and 1883 he was the Most Worshipful Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Massachusetts. He was exalted in St. Pauls Royal Arch Chapter of Boston in 1855 and became a charter member of Mystic Royal Arch Chapter in 1867 and was High Priest during the years 1878, 1879 and 1880. He was also a charter member of Medford Council Royal and Select Masters in 1889, having previously received his degrees in Boston Council R. and S. M.

The honors of Knighthood were conferred upon him in De Molay Commandery No 7, at Boston in 1856 and in 1858 he became a member of Boston Commandery and was Eminent Commander in 1873, 1874 & 1875. He was also an Honorary Member of Joseph Warren Commandery of Boston, St. Johns Commandery of Philadelphia and Apollo Commandery of Chicago.

In 1875 he was elected Deputy Grand Commander of the Grand Commandery of Massachusetts and Rhode Island, declining at that time further advancement. In 1894 he was elected Grand Commander of the Grand Commandery of Massachusetts and Rhode Island and served as Chairman of the Committee when the famous Triennial Conclave was held in Boston in 1895, and to his able management and generosity the marked success of this great Conclave was largely due.

He received the degree in the Royal Order of Scotland in May 1878 and was one of the original members of the Provincial Grand Lodge of the Order for the United States of America and a member of the mother body of the Royal Order of Scotland.

He was also a charter member of Lafayette Lodge of Perfection, Giles F. Yates Council Princes of Jerusalem; Gourgas Chapter of Rose Croix and DeWitt Clinton Consistory. In 1867 he was the foremost one of those who united in harmonizing all interests and forming the present Supreme Council 33^d degree Masons, of the Northern Jurisdiction.

As a student of the history of the various Masonic bodies he had gathered one of the most complete and valuable Masonic libraries in existance

As a man of business General Lawrence had a long and successful career. He filled with honor the office of director of institutions of finance and those of a charitable nature. For many years he served as a director of various railroads, notably the Eastern, Maine Central, Boston & Maine, and Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe, and in whatever endeavor he participated he achieved success.

He was the first mayor of the city of Medford. Never a seeker of political office, General Lawrence refused repeated inducements to enter upon a political career, including a unanimous nomination for Congress in a strong Republican district.

Right Eminent Sir Lawrence was a many-sided man of large and varied interests and in many respects was one of the best known men in New England. In whatever direction he lent his interests he devoted himself heart and soul and made his mark. He was a master of details while at the same time he possessed a marvelous grasp of large questions.

Loyalty, honor and kindness were cardinal virtues with him. A courtly gentleman, uniformly genial and considerate of others, a friend to those who were in need; one whose word could be depended upon and whose advise was constantly sought in large matters of state or business, or by a friend in the smaller details of daily life, he was a friend of all.

In April 1859 he married in Charlestown, Miss Carrie Rebecca, daughter of the Rev. William and Rebecca Badger of Wilton, Me.

As a tribute of respect to our beloved Frater it is hereby ordered that the banners, jewels and altars of this Grand Commandery be draped in mourning for ninety days and that the same mourning be worn on the jewels, banners and altars of each subordinate Commandery for a like period.

This Order will be read at the head of the lines in each body at the next regular Conclave after its receipt and be spread in full upon the records.

Signed J. Albert Blake
Grand Commander

Attest
seal.
B. W. Rowell
Grand Recorder

The following letter was received

No Dighton Mass
Oct. 5. 1911.

Mr H. W. Bayley, Recorder
Newburyport Commandery K.T.
Newburyport, Mass.

Dear Sir:-

My husband, Geo W. Card passed away very suddenly yesterday afternoon. Funeral at his late residence, Lincoln Av. No Dighton, Mass. Saturday at one o'clock. It was his request to be buried with your service.

Sincerely yours
signed Viola Card.

Robert
Henry
Wilde
Application

The following application for the Orders of Knighthood was received.

Companion Robert Henry Wilde, Amesbury, Mass, Supt. Hamilton Mills.

Born in Heywood, Lancashire England, Aug 24. 1859

Raised in Mount Hope Lodge, Fall River, Mass

Exalted in Trinity Chapter, Amesbury, Mass

Recommended and vouched for by Em. Sir Geo. E. Collins and Sir Knights Frank M. Swett, Chas. R. Scott and Saml. L. Porter and referred to a committee consisting of Em. Sirs Chas. F. Worthen and B.H. Young and Sir Kt. William Ford.

The committee to whom was referred the application of Companion James William Clark, reported and Comp. James William Clark was declared elected to receive the Orders of Knighthood as conferred by Newburyport Commandery

At this time Em. Sir Moody B. Noyes stated owing to the absence of Em. Sir Benjamin Pearson the officers elect would be installed by Em. Sir Benjamin J. Warton, and he was escorted to the head of the lines by the Senior Warden and requested Em. Sir Noyes to act as Grand Warden.

Sir Kt. Henry W. Little was installed as Eminent Commander for the ensuing year and made the following appointments

Standard Bearer	Sir Kt.	Chas. A. Stockman
Sword Bearer,	" "	Clarence Danforth
Warden	" "	Albert K. Cheney
Third Guard	" "	Chas. F. Pillsbury
Second "	" "	Fred W. Piper
First "	" "	Alfred W. Kimball
Asst "	" "	Oscar H. Nelson
" "	" "	Charles E. Ives
" "	" "	Lawrence B. Cheney
Musical Director	" "	Arthur P. Marden
Sentinel	" "	Frank H. Rundlett
Adjutant	" "	Irving S. Butler.

and the above appointed, and the following elected officers were duly installed into office

Generalissimo	Sir Kt.	Joseph N. Drummer
Capt. Genl.	" "	Samuel L. Porter
S. Warden	" "	Gorham D. Rogers
J. Warden	" "	James H. Johnston

Treasurer,	Sir Kt.	Edward E. Hicken
Recorder	" "	Harry W. Bayley.

Em. Sir Moses Brown, on account of illness was not present to be installed as Prelate, to which office he had been elected.

Em Sir Little expressed to the Commandery his appreciation of the honor which had been conferred upon him by placing him at the head of Newburyport Commandery, and to Em Sirs Warton and Noyes for the able manner in which they had performed the installation services.

The Em. Sir requested the Senior Warden to escort Em Sir Moody B. Noyes to the East and in his usual graceful manner Em. Sir Geo. Davis presented to Em. Sir Noyes a beautiful Past Commanders Jewel, in behalf of the Commandery.

Em. Sir Noyes accepted the gift in a few well chosen and feeling remarks and thanked the Commandery for the jewel and the officers and Sir Knights for the support accorded to him during the past year.

On motion of Sir Kt. Stockman it was voted that a page of the records be devoted to the memory of Sir Kt. George W. Card

Commandery closed

Attest:
Harry W. Bayley
Recorder.

In Memoriam

George W. Card

Born August 8, 1834.

Mount Vernon Lodge No. 75
Jewett City, Conn.

Entered Apprentice	April 11, 1873
Fellowcraft	April 22, 1873
Master Mason	May 30, 1873.

Adoniram Chapter
New Bedford, Mass.

Mark Master	January 27, 1886
Past Master	January 27, 1886
Most Excellent Master	February 17, 1886
Royal Arch Mason	February 25, 1886

Newburyport Commandery

Red Cross.	March 16, 1889
Temple	June, 20, 1889
Malta	August 15, 1889

Died October 4, 1911

Newburyport, Mass. Nov. 16. 1911

A stated Conclave of Newburyport Commandery was held at the Asylum this evening.

Present	Em. Sir	Henry W. Little,	E. C.
	"	Samuel L. Porter,	C. G.
	"	Gorham D. Rogers,	S. W.
	"	James H. Johnston,	J. W.
"	"	Moses Brown,	P.
	"	Edward E. Hicken	T.
	"	Harry W. Bayley	R.
	"	Charles A. Stockman	St. B.
	"	Clarence Danforth	Sw. B.
	"	Albert K. Cheney	W.
	"	Charles F. Pillsbury	Third Guard
	"	Fred W. Piper	Second "
	"	Alfred W. Kimball	First "
	"	Oscar H. Nelson	Asst. "
	"	Charles E. Ives	" "
	"	Lawrence B. Cheney	" "
	"	Arthur P. Marden	M. D.
	"	Frank H. Rundlett	S.

also Em. Sir Gerrn Davis,
" " Charles F. Worthen,
" " Benjamin J. Warton,
" " Benjamin H. Young,
" " Benjamin Pearson,
" " Moody B. Noyes

and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery.

J. A. Davis, Fred England, William Ford,
G. A. Johnson, Moody Kimball, G. W. Marquand,
L. W. Sargent, F. M. Swett, J. W. Talbot.

Visitors

Sir Kt. Hiram Rathburn, St. John's Commandery, Willimantic, Ct.
" " S. C. Ball Haverhill " Haverhill, Mass

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars.

The records of the previous Conclave were read and declared approved.

The following were received from the Grand Commandery.

Grand Commandery
of Knights Templars and the
Appendant Orders of
Massachusetts and Rhode Island.

Office of the Grand Recorder
Official Circular No. 1, Boston, Mass. Oct. 27. 1911
Series 1911-1912.

The following-named officers of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templars and the Appendant Orders of Massachusetts and Rhode Island were duly elected and installed to serve for the ensuing Templar year, at the One Hundred and Sixth Annual Conclave, held in the city of Boston, Mass., October 26, A.D. 1911, A.O. 793.

R.E. Sir Lafayette G. Blair	Grand Commander
V.E. " Frank L. Nagle	Deputy " "
E. " William W. Johnson	" Generalissimo
" " Walter F. Medding	" Capt. General
" " Frederick I. Dana	" Senior Warden
" " Samuel D. Sherwood	" Junior "
" " Rev. R. Perry Bush	" Prelate
" " " Frederick W. Hamilton	" Asst "
" " Herbert F. Morse	" Treasurer
" " Benjamin W. Rowell	" Recorder
" " William H. Emerson	" Standard Bearer
" " William J. Bolton	" Sword Bearer
" " Charles E. Peirce	" Warder
" " Everett C. Benton	" Capt. of Guards
" " Harry G. Pollard	" Lecturer
" " Isaac Chase	" "
" " Frank T. Pearce	" "
" " Albert W. Fray	" "

Em. Sir Charles R. Hunt	Grand Lecturer
" " E. Percy Davis	" "

Committee on Fraternal Correspondence
E. Sir Benjamin W. Rowell, Masonic Temple, Boston Mass.

The consolidated returns of Commanderies show:-

	Gains		Losses
Created during the year	851	Dimitted	294
Admitted	223	Died	337
Restored	7	Suspended	88
		Expelled	1
	1081		720

Making a gain of 361.
The total membership, Oct. 26. 1911, 17,244.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the official seal of this Grand Commandery the day and year above written.

The Semi-annual Conclave will be held in the city of Providence, R.I., in May, A.D. 1912, A.O. 794.

(Seal.) signed B.W. Rowell
Grand Recorder

Grand Commandery
of Knights Templars and the
Appendant Orders of
Massachusetts and Rhode Island.

Office of the R.E. Grand Commander
General Orders 644 Tremont Building, Boston, Mass.
Series 1911-1912, No. 1. Nov. 1. 1911.

To all Knights Templars within the jurisdiction of this Grand Commandery:

The following sentiment has been prepared by the Committee on Christmas Observance of the Grand Encampment of the United States of America

To our Most Eminent Grand Master William Bromwell Melish, and to our Brotherhood across the sea, whose friendship he has helped to cement, a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Response by the Grand Master.

We send Christmas and Knightly Salutations to our fraters across the sea, and across the border to Canada. May Templar reciprocity ever exist between us.

To our own loyal and loved Templar Host, two hundred thousand strong, we send Christmas greetings.

May unbroken friendships, great accumulation of cheerful recollections, greater affection, each to the other, bring us into closer fellowship. May we fight for the ideals, and the sacred things of the Order, both alone and with many. May we transmit Masonic Christian Knighthood not only not less, but greater, better and more beautiful than it was transmitted to us. May we renew our vows to Him "whose I am, and whom I serve". May our battle cry for the coming year be:

"True hearted, whole hearted, faithful and loyal,
King of our lives, by thy grace we will be;
Under the standard, exalted and loyal,
Strong in thy strength, we will battle for thee."

Do not, I pray you forget as individuals, and Commanderies, to do "In His Name" the splendid charitable deeds that characterized your celebration of the Christmas Season of last year.

It will be gratifying to the Grand Commander to have the Sir Knights of this jurisdiction, assembled in their Asylums, their homes, or wherever they may be, join in the sentiment prepared by the Committee, and in wishing the Grand Master a joyous and happy Christtide as a mark of their respect and love for the Grand Master.

This Order will be borne upon the notice of the Stated Conclave next preceding December 25, A.D. 1911 A.O., 793.

Witness my hand and the seal of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templars and the Appendant Orders of Massachusetts and Rhode Island, this 1st day of November, A.D., 1911, A.O., 793.

Lafayette G. Blair
Grand Commander

Attest:-
Seal.
B.W. Rowell
Grand Recorder

Grand Commandery
of Knights Templars and the
Appendant Orders of
Massachusetts and Rhode Island.

General Orders
Series 1911-1912, No. 2.

Office of the R.E. Grand Commander
645 Tremont Building, Boston, Mass.
November 10. 1911, A.O. 793.

1. The several Commanderies within this jurisdiction are assigned for official inspection as follows:-

To R. Em. Sir Lafayette G. Blair Grand Commander	Cambridge Commandery	No. 42.
To V. Em. Sir Frank L. Nagle Dep. Grand Commander.	Holy Sepulchre	Com. No. 8
	Jerusalem	" " 9
	Northampton	" " 30
	Bay State	" " 38
To Em. Sir Wm. W. Johnson Grand Generalissimo	Boston	Com. No. 2
	Old Colony	" " 15
	Athol	" " 37
	Cyprus	" " 39
To Em. Sir Walter F. Medding Grand Capt. General.	Newburyport	Com. No. 3
	Joseph Warren	" " 26
	South Shore	" " 31
	Coeur de Lion	" " 34

To Em. Sir Fredk. I. Dana Grand Senior Warden.	Washington	Com. No	4
	De Molay	" "	7
	Con. Valley	" "	23
	Natick	" "	33
To Em. Sir Saml. D. Sherwood Grand Junior Warden.	Bethany	Com. No	17
	Hugh de Payens	" "	20
	Trinity	" "	32
	Gethsemane	" "	35
To Em. Sir Wm. H. Emerson Grand Standard Bearer.	Saint Johns	Com No	1
	Berkshire	" "	22
	Olivet	" "	36
	Saint Pauls	" "	40
To Em. Sir Wm. J. Bolton Grand Sword Bearer.	Pilgrim	Com. No	9
	Calvary	" "	13
	Saint George	" "	44
To Em. Sir Everett C. Benton Grand Capt. of Guards.	Saint Bernard	Com No	12
To Em. Sir Harry G. Pollard Grand Lecturer.	Worcester County	Com. No	5
	Haverhill	" "	14
	Ivanhoe	" "	46
To Em. Sir Isaac Chace Grand Lecturer.	Springfield	Com. No	6
	Godfrey de Bouillon	" "	25
	Bethlehem	" "	43
To Em. Sir Frank T. Pearce Grand Lecturer.	Palestine	Com. No	10
	Narragansett	" "	27
	Bristol	" "	29
To Em. Sir Albert W. Fay Grand Lecturer.	Milford	Com. No	11
	Sutton	" "	16
	William Parkman	" "	28

To Em. Sir Charles R. Hunt Grand Lecturer	Winslow Lewis	Com. No	18
	Beauseant	" "	41
	Quincy	" "	47
To Em. Sir E. Percy Davis Grand Lecturer	Saint Omer	Com. No	21
	Woonsocket	" "	24
	Orange	" "	45

2. All inspections are to be made prior to July 1. 1912

3. Eminent Commanders are directed to cause to be sent to this office immediate information of the death of a Past Commander or officer of their respective Commanderies, together with such a sketch of his Masonic history as can be obtained.

4. Eminent Commanders are ordered to have all rituals of the Order entrusted to the officers of their Commanderies, presented to the inspecting officer when called for. Inspecting officers are directed to make official report of any failure to comply with this order at once.

5. The Eminent Commander of each Commandery will ascertain before the visit of the inspecting officer the actual number of uniforms owned by the Sir Knights of his Commandery. Definite report of the same is to be made to the inspecting officer.

6. Eminent Commanders will cause to be sent to the R. E. Grand Commander, the inspecting officer assigned to their Commanderies, and to the Grand Recorder a notice of each Conclave of their respective Commanderies during this Templar year.

7. This order will be read at the head of each Commandery at the First Stated Conclave after its receipt.

(seal)

signed Lafayette G. Blair
Grand Commander

Attest:-
B.W. Rowell
Grand Recorder

Robert Henry Wilde elected.

The committee to whom was referred the petition of Comp. Robert Henry Wilde, reported a ballot was ordered and Comp. Robert Henry Wilde was declared elected to receive the Orders of Knighthood as conferred by Newburyport Commandery.

The following letter was received:

New England Telephone & Telegraph Co
Newburyport, Mass Oct. 26. 1911

Worshipful Master,
St. John's Lodge, A.F. & A.M.
Newburyport, Mass.

Dear Sir:-

In accordance with your order I beg to submit below a statement covering two propositions under which the Company can install telephone service in the quarters occupied by the lodge.

First proposition:

One party line, unlimited, free local service, $39. per year. Under this contract you may have a wall or desk set. On communications out of Newburyport, Mass, the lodge would collect all toll charges from its individual members. We in turn collecting from the lodge. Bills being rendered monthly for the rental and toll charges.

Second proposition.

Pay Station under a guarantee. Under this contract we will install an instrument properly equipped to collect on all calls originating from the telephone. There will be a charge on all calls whether local or outside of the city. The local charge being of course, 5¢ for a limited period. The lodge would guarantee that the net receipts would equal $2.50 per month, or if you prefer we will make the guarantee on the annual basis of $30. per year.

This is much favor to the lodge inasmuch as the receipts would be more during the Fall, Winter and Spring months than during the Summer months.

Under this contract you would be entitled to free inward service, i.e. any subscriber to the Newburyport Mass, Exchange, could call the lodge without charge, but of course, all calls that originate at the lodge would be paid for.

Yours truly
signed D. B. Collins
Manager

and bore the following endorsements:-

Newburyport, Nov. 2. 1911

At a communication of St. John's Lodge, A.F. & A.M. held on the above date it was voted to accept the first proposition of the Telephone Company, providing that the Chapter and Commandery agree to pay their proportionate part of the expense.

Attest:-
(signed) Wm. C. Coffin, Secretary.

Newburyport, Nov. 9. 1911

At the regular convocation of King Cyrus Chapter R.A.M. on the above date it was voted to accept the second proposition of the Telephone Company, providing the Lodge and Commandery agree to pay their proportionate part of the expense, and a committee of conference was appointed.

Attest:-
(signed) Charles A. Stockman, Secy.

On motion of Sir Kt. Stockman it was voted that the Second proposition of the Telephone Co. is acceptable to the Commandery, providing that the Lodge and Chapter will bear their proportionate part of the expense, with the Commandery.

Voted that as Saint John's Lodge had accepted the first proposition of the Telephone Co and the Chapter and Commandery the second proposition, that the matter be left with full power with the Council, as a committee of conference with the other two bodies.

The Eminent Commander addressed the Sir Knights and made a few remarks and suggestions relating to the work for the ensuing year, and requested that all loafing and conversation in the ante-room be abolished during the work, and that he had ordered the Sentinel to have the upper room heated and prepared for that purpose, but he would much prefer that the Sir Knights should be in the Asylum during the work.

The Eminent Commander stated that a number of years ago a committee had been appointed to ascertain the cost of racks placed in the Armory for the regalia of the Sir Knights, but as nothing had ever come from it he had requested Sir Kt. Henry J. Noyes to make a plan for a rack to accommodate about 50 regalia and asked the Sir Knights to consider whether it was advisable for the Commandery to have it built.

Business in the Commandery was suspended and a Council of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross opened and the Order conferred upon

Red Cross. Comp. John T. Litch
" Daniel A. Lunt
" Willard A. Hatch

17 Present in regalia.

Council closed

Attest:-
Harry W. Bayley
Recorder

Newburyport, Mass. Dec. 21. 1911

A stated Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No. 3. Knights Templars was convened at the Asylum this evening.

Present, Em. Sir Henry W. Little, E.C.
" Joseph N. Dummer, G.
" Samuel L. Porter, C.G.
" James H. Johnston, J.W.
Em. " Moses Brown, P.
" Harry W. Bayley, R.
" Clarence Danforth, Sw. B.
" Charles A. Stockman. St. B.
" Albert K. Cheney, W.
" Charles F. Pillsbury, Third Guard.
" Fred W. Piper, Second "
" Alfred W. Kimball, First "
" Oscar H. Nelson, Asst. "
" Charles E. Ives, " "
" Laurence B. Cheney, " "
" Arthur P. Marden, M.D.
" Frank H. Rundlett, S.
" Irving S. Butler Adj.

also Em. Sir George E. Collins
" " Moody B. Noyes

and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery C.W. Cooke.

J. A. Davis, H. E. Dodge,
Fred England, William Ford,
G. E. Philbrook, H. W. Quinlin,
C. R. Scott, F. M. Swett,
J. W. Talbot, A. A. H. Whelpley.

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars.

The records of the previous Conclave were read and declared approved.

The following invitation was received.

"9 Highland St.,
Amesbury, Mass.
Newburyport Commandery No 3
Newburyport, Mass.

Easter Sunday. Brother Sir Knights:-

You are cordially invited to attend divine worship at the First Universalist Church of Amesbury, Mass, Easter Sunday, April 7. 1912. The service to be held at 3. o'clock

Fraternally
T. H. Saunders
Minister.

On motion of Em. Sir George E. Collins, it was unanimously voted that the invitation be accepted.

Business in the Commandery was suspended and a Council of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross opened.

Red Cross The Illustrious Order of the Red Cross was conferred upon Companions
James W. Clark
Robert H. Wilde

15 Companions in regalia present during the conferring of the Order.

Council closed

Attest:
Harry W. Bayley
Recorder.

Newburyport, Mass., Dec. 25. 1911

A special Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No 3. Knights Templars was convened at the Asylum this forenoon at 11. 30 o'clock for the observance of Christmas.

Present.	Em. Sir	Henry W. Little,	E. C.
	"	Samuel L. Porter,	C. G.
	"	James H. Johnston,	J. W.
	"	Edward E. Hicken,	T.
	"	Harry W. Bayley,	R.
	"	Charles A. Stockman,	St. B.
	"	Clarence Danforth,	Sw. B.
	"	Albert K. Cheney,	W.
	"	Charles F. Pillsbury,	Third Guard.
	"	Fred W. Piper,	Second "
	"	Alfred W. Kimball,	First "
	"	Oscar H. Nelson,	Asst. "
	"	Charles E. Ives	" "
	"	Lawrence B. Cheney	" "
	"	Arthur P. Marden,	M. D.
	"	Frank H. Rundlett.	S.

also Em. Sir William R. Johnson,
" " Greer Davis,
" " Orrin J. Gurney,
" " Charles F. Worthen.
" " George E. Collins,
" " Benjamin Pearson,
" " Moody B. Noyes.

and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery.

A. J. Anderson,
J. E. Blake,
Irvin Besse,
Stanley Besse,
C. W. Cooke,
J. M. Bailey,
P. H. Bollman,
H. A. Besse,
F. S. Collins,
H. E. Carlisle,
A. P. Swain,

S. J. Dauphinee,
C. E. Davis,
Fred England,
William Ford,
J. W. Gurney,
J. L. Jacoby,
F. L. Lattime,
M. B. Merrill,
R. J. McKinney,
G. E. Philbrook,
A. N. Parry,
A. G. Quimby,
A. E. Safford,
L. W. Sargent,
C. P. Silloway,
H. E. Dodge,
H. C. Bates,
S. J. Ford,
J. W. Foster,
G. A. Johnson,
Moody Kimball,
P. J. Lowell,
LeRoy Berry,
H. J. Noyes,
C. L. Perkins,
W. W. Pillsbury,
W. B. Rogers,
C. S. Spaulding,
F. M. Swett,
J. W. Talbot,
G. A. H. Whelpley.

Visitors

Sir Kt. Hiram Rathbun,	St Johns	Commandery,	Willimantic, Conn
" " Prescott Poor,	Haverhill	"	#14, Haverhill, Mass
" " G. B. Patten,	"	"	" " "
" " A. F. Small,	Coeur de Lion	"	34, Charlestown "

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars.

Promptly at 12 o'clock noon the Sir Knights assembled around the table, and with the Eminent Commander at the head of the lines, toasts were drank to the following.

M. E. Grand Master, William Bromwell Melish,
R. E. Grand Commander, Lafayette G. Blair,
E. " Captain Genl. Walter F. Medding, Inspecting Officer.
Our Absent Fraters

Mount Horeb	Commandery,	Concord, N. H.
Hugh de Payens	"	Keene, "
DeWitt Clinton	"	Portsmouth "
Bradford	"	Biddeford, Me.

Em Sir W. G. Fisher and P. J. Warton who are abroad in search of health.

The following telegram was sent to the Most Eminent Grand Master, William Bromwell Melish
Cincinnati, Ohio.

Newburyport Commandery, the oldest in America sends greeting.

To R. E. Grand Commander Lafayette G. Blair
Boston, Mass.

Each and every Sir Knight of Newburyport Commandery extends a hearty Christmas and New Year greeting.

May this the happiest and holiest of all holidays bring joy and peace to the hearts of you and yours.

May the new year greet you with a full measure of health and prosperity, and so may each year be happier and more prosperous than the last.

To Walter F. Medding.
Malden Mass.

Newburyport Commandery sends greeting.

Christmas Greetings
were received from the following Commanderies

Saint Johns	#1	Providence,	R. I.
Washington	4	Newport,	"
Worcester County	5.	Worcester,	Mass
Springfield	6	Springfield	"
DeMolay	7	Boston	"
Holy Sepulchre	8	Pawtucket,	R. I.
Pilgrim	9.	Lowell,	Mass.
Palestine	10.	Chelsea,	"
Milford	11	Milford,	"

Saint Bernard.	#12	Boston,	Mass
Calvary	13	Providence,	R.I.
Old Colony	15	Abington,	Mass
Sutton	16	New Bedford,	"
Bethany	17	Lawrence,	"
Winslow Lewis	18	Salem,	"
Jerusalem,	19.	Fitchburg	"
Hugh de Payens	20	Melrose	"
Berkshire	22	Pittsfield	"
Connecticut Valley	23	Greenfield	"
Woonsocket	24	Woonsocket,	R.I.
Godfrey de Bouillon	25	Fall River	Mass.
Joseph Warren,	26	Roxbury	"
Narragansett	27	Westerly	R.I.
Wm. Parkman	28	East Boston	Mass.
Bristol	29	Attleboro	"
Northampton	30	Northampton	"
South Shore	31	East Weymouth	"
Natick	33	Natick	"
Coeur de Lion	34	Charlestown	"
Gethsemane	35	Newtonville	"
Olivet	36	Lynn	"
Athol	37	Athol	"
Bay State	38	Brockton	"
Cyprus	39	Hyde Park	"
Beauseant	41	Malden	"
Cambridge	42	Cambridge	"
Bethlehem	43	Gloucester	"
Saint George	44	Beverly	"
Orange	45	Orange	"
Ivanhoe	46	Gardner	"
Quincy	47	Quincy	"
Bradford	4	Biddeford,	Me.
St. Alban	8	Portland,	"
Hugh de Payens		Keene,	N.H.
Mount Horeb		Concord,	"
Pilgrim		Laconia	"
De Witt Clinton		Portsmouth	"

The Commandery was closed and a social hour was enjoyed and Companions James W. Clark, John T. Litch and Robert H. Wilde, of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross were invited to participate and meet the Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery, and thus came to an end another pleasant occasion held under the auspices of the Commandery

Attest:
Harry W. Bayley
Recorder.

Newburyport, Mass. Jan. 18. 1912

A stated Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No 3. Knights Templars was convened at the Asylum at 6.30 o'clock this evening.

Present.	Em. Sir.	Henry W. Little,	E. C.
	"	Joseph N. Dummer,	G.
	"	Samuel L. Porter,	C. G.
	"	Gorham D. Rogers,	S. W.
	"	James H. Johnston,	J. W.
	Em. "	Moses Brown,	P.
	"	Edward E. Hicks,	T.
	"	Harry W. Bayley,	R.
	"	Charles A. Stockman,	St. B.
	"	Clarence Danforth,	Sw. B.
	"	Albert H. Cheney,	W.
	"	Charles F. Pillsbury,	Third Guard
	"	Fred W. Piper,	Second "
	"	Alfred W. Kimball,	First "
	"	Oscar H. Nelson,	Asst. "
	"	Charles E. Ives,	" "
	"	Lawrence B. Cheney,	" "
	"	Arthur P. Marden,	M. D.
	"	Frank H. Rundlett,	S.
	"	Irving S. Butler,	Adj.

also Em. Sir Gren Davis,
" " Charles F. Worthen,
" " George E. Collins,
" " Benjamin Pearson,
" " Moody B. Noyes.

and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery
Stanley Besse, H. A. Besse, J. M. Bailey,
J. E. Baumgartner, J. W. Buswell, G. H. Dow,
C. E. Davis, W. E. Aubin, William Ford,
S. J. Ford, G. A. Johnson, Moody Kimball,
T. L. Lawton, F. O. Morse, R. J. McKinney,
G. E. Philbrook, F. M. Sweett, C. R. Scott,

C. S. Spaulding, G. R. Tarbox, J. W. Talbot,
A. A. H. Whelpley, A. P. Wilson, J. H. Wheeler.

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars

The records of the Stated Conclave of Dec. 21 and Special Conclave of Dec. 25, were read and declared approved.

The following was received from the Grand Commandery.

Grand Commandery
of Knights Templars
and the Appendant Orders of Massachusetts & Rhode Island.
Office of the R∴ E∴ Grand Commander

General Orders
Series of 1911-12, #3.
Boston, Mass. Jan. 5. 1912.

To the Eminent Commanders, Officers, and Sir Knights of the Jurisdiction of Massachusetts & Rhode Island.

Sir Knights:

Easter Dispensation

Believing that the Templar bodies would materially advance the cause of Templarism by public recognition of our Divine Master on the day set apart by the Christian world as the day of His resurrection, I, therefore, by virtue of the power in me vested as Grand Commander of the Grand Commandery of Massachusetts and Rhode Island, do hereby grant this my dispensation authorizing the several Commanderies throughout this Jurisdiction to meet in their respective Asylums on Easter Sunday, April 7. 1912, for the purpose of attending divine services, in such places of worship as they may choose, in full Templar uniform, with or without banners, but without music.

It would be especially gratifying to the Grand Commander if the participation in these beautiful and impressive Easter services should be generally observed.

Due and proper return will be made to me of the action had under this authority within thirty days of its acceptance and this dispensation filed in the Archives of the Commandery, and spread in full upon its records.

This order will be read at the head of each commandery at the regular conclave next after its receipt.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Grand Commandery, this fifth day of January, A.D. 1912, A.O. 794

Seal. Attest: Lafayette G. Blair
B.W. Rowell, Grand Commander
Grand Recorder.

A letter was received from Sir Kt. Henry P. Curtis of Amesbury acknowledging with thanks the flowers sent to him by the Commandery on Christmas day.

The Eminent Commander stated that he had received acknowlegments from the Grand Commander and Inspecting officer for the telegrams sent to them on Christmas.

The following petitions for the Orders of Knighthood were received.

Companion Charles Edward Houghton
Application Born in Newburyport, Feb. 15. 1885
Residence "
C.E.Houghton. Occupation Bookkeeper
Raised in St. John's Lodge Newburyport
Exalted in King Cyrus Chapter "
Member of St. John's Lodge & King Cyrus Chapter.
Recommended and vouched for by Sir Knights H.A. Besse, G.W. Marquand, H.W. Bayley & G.H. Dow and referred to a committee consisting of Sir Kts. Stanley Besse, Chas. S. Spaulding & Em. Sir Benjamin Pearson.

Companion Frank Boynton Hubbard
Application Born in Gloucester, Mass., Sept. 12. 1868
F.B.Hubbard Residence, Newburyport.
Occupation, Clothier
Raised in St. John's Lodge Newburyport
Exalted in King Cyrus Chapter "

Member of St. John's Lodge & King Cyrus Chapter.
Recommended and vouched for by Sir Kts. H.W. Bayley A.P. Marden, & C.A. Stockman and referred to a committee consisting of Sir Kts. A.K. Cheney, F.W. Piper & S.J. Ford.

The Order of the Temple was conferred upon
Companion James W. Clark,
Temple. " Willard A. Hatch,
" Daniel A. Lunt,
" Robert H. Wilde.

Upon the request of the Eminent Commander, Em. Sir Moses Brown conferred the Order of Malta upon
Sir Knights James W. Clark,
" Willard A. Hatch,
Malta " Daniel A. Lunt,
" Robert H. Wilde,
" John W. Burwell,
" Stanley Besse.

Commandery closed and lunch was served in the banquet room

Attest:
Harry W. Bayley
Recorder.

Newburyport, Mass. Feb. 15. 1912.

A stated Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No 3, Knights Templars was convened at the Asylum this evening.

Present	Em. Sir	Henry W. Little,	E. C.
	"	Joseph N. Dummer,	G.
	"	Samuel L. Porter,	C. G.
	"	Gorham D. Rogers.	S. W.
	"	James H. Johnston,	J. W.
	Em. "	Moses Brown	P.
	"	Harry W. Bayley	R.
	"	Charles A. Stockman,	St. B.
	"	Clarence Danforth,	Sw. B.
	"	Albert K. Cheney	W.
	"	Charles F. Pillsbury	Third Guard
	"	Fred W. Piper	Second "
	"	Oscar H. Nelson	Asst "
	"	Charles E. Ives	" "
	"	Lawrence B. Cheney	" "
	"	Arthur P. Marden	M. D.
	"	Frank H. Rundlett	S.

also Em Sir Green Davis
" " Benjamin J. Warton
" " William G. Fisher
" " George E. Collins
" " Benjamin Pearson
" " Moody B. Noyes

and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery

Stanley Bere,
William Ford,
Herbert E. Dodge,
Daniel A. Lunt,
J. W. Talbot
James W. Clark,
Samuel J. Ford,
Joseph L. Jacoby
C. F. Silloway

Visitor
Sir Kt. Hiram Rathbun, St John's Commandery, Willimantic, Ct.

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars

The records of the previous Conclave were read and declared approved.

The following letter was received.

Laconia, N. H. Feb. 12. 1912.

Eminent Commander
Newburyport Commandery, Knights Templars
Newburyport, Mass.

Eminent Sir:-

Pilgrim Commandery of Laconia, N. H., is thinking seriously of entertaining one or more Commanderies of Knights Templar on June 24th next.

We would ask, at this early date, that if our plans carry, if your Commandery would consider an invitation from Pilgrim Commandery, to visit them at Laconia, N. H., on June 24th, 1912, to be their guests on that day.

We respectfully ask for as early reply as is consistent, so that some definite action may be taken.

Thanking you in advance for your reply. I remain

Fraternally yours

(signed) Edwin P. Hodgdon
Eminent Commander, Pilgrim
Commandery, Lakeport, N. H.

On motion of Em. Sir Geo. E. Collins it was unanimously voted "that we will consider and thank them for their letter of Feb. 12." and that notice of same be borne on our notices of the March Conclave.

The following petitions for the Orders of Knighthood were received.

Application William Garnet Dodge.

Companion William Garnet Dodge.
Born in Newburyport, Mass. Aug. 14. 1882
Residence Newbury, "
Occupation Shoe Manufacturer
Raised in St. Johns Lodge, Newburyport
Exalted in King Cyrus Chapter "
Member of St. Johns Lodge & King Cyrus Chapter.
Recommended and vouched for by Sir Kts. H.W. Bayley C.A. Stockman & F.W. Piper, and referred to a committee consisting of Em. Sir Moody B. Noyes and Sir Kts. James H. Johnston & Joseph N. Dummer.

Application Hiram Pearson Macintosh 2d

Companion Hiram Pearson Macintosh 2d
Born in Newburyport. Mass, May 31. 1888
Residence " "
Occupation Asst. Supt. Gas. Co.
Raised in St Johns Lodge, Newburyport.
Exalted in King Cyrus Chapter, "
Member of St. Johns Lodge & King Cyrus Chapter.
Recommended by Sir Kts H.W. Bayley, C.A. Stockman & F.W. Piper and referred to a committee consisting of Em Sir Moses Brown, & Sir Kts. O.H. Nelson, and H.E. Dodge.

The Eminent Commander stated that the Recorder had handed to him a list of names of eleven Sir Knights who were in arrears for dues and that the Council recommended that the Recorder once more communicate with the delinquents and inform them that action would be taken at the April Conclave.

On motion of Em Sir Moses Brown it was voted that the report be accepted and the recommendation adopted.

Chas E. Houghton elected.

The committee appointed on the application of Companion Charles E. Houghton, reported, a ballot was ordered and Companion Charles E Houghton was declared elected to receive the Orders of Knighthood as conferred by Newburyport Commandery

Frank B Hubbard Rejected

The committee appointed on the application of Companion Frank B. Hubbard, reported, a ballot was ordered and Comp. Frank B. Hubbard was declared rejected

The Eminent Commander stated that the inspection of the Commandery would take place at our next stated Conclave and expressed his desire that each Sir Knight be present in full Templar uniform and be included in the official count.

Red Cross.

Business in the Commandery was suspended and a Council of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross opened and the Order was conferred upon

Comp. Charles E Houghton

15 Companions present in regalia.

Business in the Council of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross was suspended and resumed in the Commandery

Commandery closed

Attest: Harry W. Bayley
Recorder

Newburyport, Mass, March 21. 1912

A stated Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No 3, Knights Templars was convened at the Asylum at 4.30 o'clock this afternoon.

Present.	Em. Sir	Henry W. Little,	E. C.
	"	Joseph N. Dummer,	G.
	"	Samuel L. Porter,	C. G.
	"	Gorham D. Rogers,	S. W.
	"	James H. Johnston,	J. W.
	Em. "	Moses Brown,	P.
	"	Edward E. Hicken,	T.
	"	Harry W. Bayley,	R.
	"	Charles A. Stockman,	St. B.
	"	Clarence Danforth,	Sw. B.
	"	Albert K. Cheney,	W.
	"	Charles F. Pillsbury,	Third Guard
	"	Fred W. Piper,	Second "
	"	Alfred W. Kimball,	First "
	"	Oscar H. Nelson,	Asst. "
	"	Charles E. Ives,	" "
	"	Lawrence B. Cheney,	" "
	"	Arthur P. Marden,	M. D.
	"	Frank H. Rundlett,	S.
	"	Irving S. Butler,	Adj

also Em. Sir William R. Johnson,
" " Green Davis,
" " Orrin J. Gurney,
" " Charles F. Worthen,
" " Benjamin J. Warton,
" " William G. Fisher,
" " George E. Collins,
" " Benjamin Pearson,
" " Moody B. Noyes,

and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery.

R. G. Adams, A. J. Anderson, W. E. Aubin,
H. C. Austin, A. Barboro, A. H. Berry,
J. E. Baumgartner, G. L. Bean, J. M. Bailey,
P. H. Blumpey, F. P. Currier, C. W. Cooke,
H. E. Carlisle H. W. Clark, F. S. Collins,
H. E. Dodge, C. E. Davis, S. J. Dauphinee
Fred England, Wm. Ford, S. J. Ford,
O. F. Files, J. W. Gurney, W. F. Houston,
G. A. Johnson, J. L. Jacoby, Moody Kimball,
P. J. Lowell, T. L. Lawton, D. A. Lunt,
M. B. Merrill, G. W. Manser, F. E. Miller,
F. O. Morse, J. J. Mason, G. W. Marquand,
J. D. Holland, R. J. McKinney, H. J. Noyes,
A. N. Parry, G. E. Philbrook, W. W. Pillsbury,
A. F. Swain, F. M. Scott, C. R. Scott,
L. W. Sargent, J. W. Talbot, G. R. Tarbox,
J. H. Wheeler, J. B. G. Welch.

Visitors

T. H. Saunders,	St. Lawrence Commandery	Canton, N.Y.
Hiram Rathburn,	St. Johns, "	Willimantic, Conn.
A. F. Small	Coeur De Lion "	Charlestown, Mass
H. H. Hoyt,	Haverhill "	Haverhill, "
J. S. Harrower,	Palestine "	Chelsea "
Henry W. Clark,	Hugh de Payens, "	Melrose "

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars.

The records of the previous Conclave were read and declared approved

The following dispensation was received.

Grand Commandery of
Knights Templars and the Appendant Orders
of Massachusetts and Rhode Island.

Office of the R. E. Grand Commander
Boston. Feb. 23. 1912

General Order No 4
Series 1911-12.

To the Eminent Commanders, Officers and Sir Knights of the Jurisdiction of Massachusetts & Rhode Island:

Greeting:

In order that the several Commanderies of this Jurisdiction may observe the anniversary of St. John's Day by a Pilgrimage or Field Day.

St John's Day Dispensation

I, by virtue of the power invested as the Grand Commander of the Grand Commandery of Massachusetts and Rhode Island, hereby grant this, my dispensation, authorizing the Commanderies throughout this Jurisdiction to parade within this Jurisdiction in Full Templar Uniform, with or without banners and music, during the period between and including the 20th and 27th days of June, 1912, for the purpose of celebrating the anniversary of St. John's Day.

Due and proper return will be made to me of the action had under this authority within thirty days of its acceptance, and this dispensation filed in the Archives of the Commandery and spread in full upon its records.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Grand Commandery this 23d day of February A.D. 1912, A.O. 794.

Seal.

Lafayette G. Blair
Grand Commander

Attest:
B.W. Rowell
Grand Recorder

The following letter was received.

Pilgrim Commandery Knights Templars.

Laconia, N.H., March 4. 1912

To the Eminent Commander, Officers and Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery No 3 Newburyport, Mass.

Dear Fraters:-

Invitation from Pilgrim Commandery Laconia N.H.

At the stated conclave of Pilgrim Commandery held at its Asylum, Friday evening March 1st 1912, it was unanimously voted:-

"That invitations be extended to Trinity Commandery of Manchester, N.H., and Newburyport Commandery No 3 of Newburyport, Mass., to be the guests of Pilgrim Commandery on St. John's Day, Monday, June 24. 1912."

To the Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery No 3, the Sir Knights of Pilgrim Commandery send most hearty greetings and the very earnest hope and expectation that this invitation will be at once accepted.

Courteously yours

Edwin P. Hodgdon
Commander.

Attest:
Charles K. Sanborn
Recorder.

Seal.

On motion of Em. Sir Pearson it was unanimously voted that the invitation of Pilgrim Commandery be accepted and the thanks of the Commandery be extended.

Voted that a page of the records be set apart to the memory of our late Sir Knight Horace G. Hudson

Rejection of H.P. Macintosh 2d,

The committee appointed on the application of Companion Hiram Pearson Macintosh 2d reported, a ballot was ordered and he was declared rejected.

Wm. G. Dodge elected.

The committee appointed on the application of Companion William Garnet Dodge, reported, a ballot was ordered and he was declared elected to receive the Orders of Knighthood as conferred by Newburyport Commandery.

Easter Sunday

On motion of Em Sir Pearson it was voted the Em. Commander make the necessary appointments of committees to make arrangements for attending divine service at the Universalist Church, Amesbury, on Easter Sunday April 7.

Banquet

Business in the Commandery was suspended and the Eminent Commander invited all present to repair to the banquet room to partake of a banquet prepared by the caterer Sir Kt. A. Schlehuber of Lynn.

Business in the Commandery was resumed at 8.oo o'clock and Em Sir Charles E. Prior Deputy Grand Warden entered the Asylum and announced the presence of Em. Sir Isaac Chase, Grand Lecturer of the Grand Commandery of Massachusetts and Rhode Island who was present for the purpose of making an official inspection of Newburyport Commandery.

The Eminent Commander informed the Deputy Grand Warden that he recognized his authority and would at once wait upon the Inspecting Officer with a committee and appointed as that committee

Em. Sir William R. Johnson,
" " Green Davis,
" " Orrin J. Gurney,
" " Charles F. Worthen,
" " Benjamin J. Warton,
" " William G. Fisher,
" " George E. Collins,
" " Benjamin Pearson,
" " Moody B. Noyes

in charge of Sir Kt. Generalissimo Joseph N. Dummer

The committee returned with the Grand Officer and introduced to the Eminent Commander

Em. Sir Isaac Chase, Grand Lecturer of the Grand Commandery of Massachusetts and Rhode Island, as Inspecting Officer who expressed his pleasure at being selected at a late hour to officiate as inspecting officer, this being occasioned by the illness of Em Sir Knight Walter F. Medding who had been appointed as inspecting officer of this Commandery, and proceeded to introduce the distinguished members of his suite, as follows:-

Em. Sir J. R. Dennis, E. Com. St. John Commandery #1
" F. W. Lockwood, Gen. " "
" W. L. Phillips, C. Gen. " "
Em " J. S. Blake, P. Com. Boston " #2
" " Wm. Robinson, " " Palestine " #10
" " A. H. Legg, E. " " "
" J. S. Harrower, Gen. " "
Em " Thos. Bevington, P. Com. Bethany " #17
" " J. W. Dicker, " " Wm. Parkman " #28
" " J. F. Higgins, " " Natick " #33
" " H. F. Nickerson E. " Coeur de Lion " #34
" " A. C. Jewett " " Gethsemanae " #35
" " W. J. Hobbs P. " Beauseant " #41
" " Charles E. Prior D. G. Warden " "
" " Henry A. Ymetchi P. G. Lecturer, " "

Eminent Sir Little stated that it was indeed a great personal privilege and honor to be at the head of Newburyport Commandery and in that capacity to welcome to its Asylum the Inspecting Officer and considered it a pleasure for Newburyport Commandery to be honored by so distinguished a suite and resigned his seat to the Inspecting Officer, who stated that he would request all Sir Knights in regalia to remain during the services and at once ordered the official count which was as follows:

Sir Kts of Newburyport Commandery in regalia	71
" " " " not " "	3
Visitors	5
Inspecting Officer and suite	16

He then proceeded with the inspection of the Charter, Records, By Laws, noted the following Rituals

Red Cross, & Temple	#2843, 2844 & 4152
Red Cross, Temple & Malta	# 5253
Malta	# 1009
Prelate	# 427

and resigned the head of the Commandery to the Eminent Commander for the purpose of witnessing the work of the Order of the Temple which was conferred upon

Temple

Companion John T. Litch,
" Charles E. Houghton.

At the conclusion of the work the Inspecting Officer addressed the Commandery and expressed his pleasure in witnessing the work, his thanks to the Sir Knights for granting him the privilege of reporting that not one had left the Asylum during the ceremonies, that he could hardly find words to express his pleasure in examining our ancient charter, spoke of the history that

had been made by the Commandery during the many years of its existence and the hope that its prosperity would continue; he was delighted to serve as Inspecting Officer and was pleased to say that the Commandery would not in any way suffer from his report to the Grand Commander.

The Eminent Commander thanked him for his kind words in relation to the Commandery and took this occasion to present to Em. Sir Chase and Em Sir Prior, bouquet of flowers and requested Em Sir Chase to hand to our regularly appointed Inspecting Officer, Em. Sir Walter F. Medding a slight token in the shape of a stick pin as a souvenir of the occasion.

Remarks were then in order and the members of the Inspecting Officer's suite expressed their pleasure at being present on this occasion and for the hospitality shown to them

Commandery closed

Attest:-

Harry W. Bayley
Recorder.

In Memoriam

Horace G. Hudson

Born February 8, 1846

Rising Star Lodge No 47, New Market, N.H.

Entered Apprentice,	March 26, 1869
Fellowcraft,	April 23, 1869
Master Mason	May 18, 1869

Trinity Chapter, Amesbury, Mass.

Mark Master	May 16, 1887
Past Master	May 16, 1887
Most Excellent Master	May 30, 1887
Royal Arch Mason	June 27, 1887

Amesbury Council R. & S. M.

Royal Master	March 7, 1889
Select Master	April 25, 1889
Super-Excellent Master	June 17, 1889

Newburyport Commandery K.T.

Red Cross	February 8, 1888
Temple	June 21, 1888
Malta	June 21, 1888

Died February 19, 1912

Newburyport, Mass, April. 7. 1912

A special Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No 3 K.T. was convened at the asylum at 1.30 oclock this afternoon for the purpose of attending Easter services at the First Universalist Church, Amesbury on invitation of Sir Kt. Rev. T. H. Saunders, Minister.

Present.	Em Sir	Henry W. Little,	E. C.
	"	Joseph N. Dummer,	G
	"	Samuel L. Porter,	C. G.
	"	James H. Johnston,	J. W.
	Em "	Moses Brown,	P.
	"	Edward E. Hicken,	T.
	"	Harry W. Bayley,	R.
	"	Chas. A. Stockman,	St. B.
	"	Clarence Danforth,	Sw. B.
	"	Albert K. Cheney,	W.
	"	Chas. F. Pillsbury,	Third Guard
	"	Oscar H. Nelson,	Asst. "
	"	Charles E. Ives	" "
	"	Laurence B. Cheney	" "
	"	Arthur P. Marden	M. D.
	"	Frank H. Rundlett.	S.
	"	Irving S. Butler	Adj.

also	Em. Sir.	Orrin J. Gurney
	" "	Charles F. Worthen
	" "	William G. Fisher
	" "	George E. Collins
	" "	Benjamin H. Young
	" "	Benjamin Pearson
	" "	Moody B. Noyes.

and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery.

H. C. Austin, A. J. Anderson, W. E. Aubin,
J. M. Bailey, H. C. Bates, G. L. Bean,
C. W. Cooke, G. Cammett, F. S. Collins,
John Currier, J. W. Clark, S. J. Dauphinee,
J. A. Davis, H. E. Dodge, C. E. Davis,
F. England, W. Ford, S. J. Ford,
J. W. Foster, J. W. Gurney, G. A. Johnson,
T. L. Lawton, J. T. Litch, D. A. Lunt,
J. L. Morrill, J. J. Mason, G. W. Manser,
G. W. Osgood, A. N. Parry, G. E. Philbrook,
F. M. Swett, L. W. Sargent, A. P. Swain,
C. R. Scott, J. W. Talbot, G. R. Tarbox,
J. B. G. Welch, J. H. Walker,

Visitors

Sir Kt. H. P. Curtis,	De Molay Commandery,	Washington, N. J.
" " F. S. Fowler,	St. Johns "	Williamstown Conn
" " J. W. Robbins	St. Paul "	Dover, N. H.
" " T. H. Saunders,	St. Lawrence "	Canton, N. Y.
" " A. P. Small,	Coeur de Lion "	Charlestown, Mass

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templar.

The lines were formed under the direction of Sir Kt. Adj. Irving S. Butler and proceeded to the street where two special electric cars were in waiting, and the Commandery was conveyed to Amesbury.

On arriving, the Sir Knights proceeded to Masonic Hall which had kindly been offered by Sir Kt. Fred England, W. M. of Warren Lodge.

The lines were reformed and a short march to the First Universalist Church where a beautiful Easter service was conducted by Rev. Sir Kt. T. H. Saunders, the Sir Knights taking part in the responsive reading.

At the conclusion of the service the lines were formed and the Commandery returned to Masonic Hall, where refreshments were served.

At 5.30 cars were boarded and the return to Newburyport, and the Commandery was closed.

Attest.
Harry W. Bayley
Recorder.

Newburyport, Mass. April 18, 1912

A stated Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No. 3, Knights Templars was convened at the Asylum this evening.

Present.	Em. Sir	Henry W. Little	E. C.
	"	Joseph N. Dummer,	G.
	"	Gorham D. Rogers,	S. W.
	"	James H. Johnston,	J. W.
	Em "	Moses Brown,	P.
	"	Harry W. Bayley,	R.
	"	Charles A. Stockman,	St. B.
	"	Clarence Danforth,	Sw. B.
	"	Albert K. Cheney,	W.
	"	Charles F. Pillsbury,	Third Guard
	"	Fred W. Piper	Second "
	"	Charles E. Ives	Asst. "
	"	Arthur P. Marden,	M. D.
	"	Frank H. Rundlett,	S.
	"	Irving S. Butler,	Adj.

also Em. Sir Green Davis
" " George E. Collins.

and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery.

W. E. Aubin
William Ford,
A. A. H. Whelpley,
F. E. Miller
C. E. Davis
G. A. Johnson
R. H. Wilde

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars.

The records of the stated Conclave of March 21 and special Conclave of April 7, were read and declared approved.

The following communication was received.

Grand Commandery of Knights Templars
of Massachusetts & Rhode Island.

General Orders No. 5
Series of 1911-1912.

Office of Grand Commander
Tremont Building, Boston Mass
March. 20. 1912.

To the Officers and Sir Knights of this Grand Jurisdiction and to our Fraters of sister Jurisdictions, Greeting:

Once more has it been seen that "death loves a shining mark"

Right Eminent Sir Herbert Francis Morse, a Past Commander of our Grand Commandery, and its Grand Treasurer since 1904, terminated his earthly pilgrimage on Thursday, the seventh day of March, 1912, at Roxbury, Mass, and was buried from the Roxbury Masonic Temple on the Sunday following.

The Templar service was rendered by the Officers of Grand Commandery, assisted by the Sir Knights of Joseph Warren Commandery, the musical program being under the direction of Sir William H. Gerrish.

A very large attendance, not only of his Masonic brethren, but also of representative citizens, evidenced the esteem in which our departed Frater was held by the community.

He held many positions of honor and trust, in all of which he bore himself as becomes a man.

We shall miss him, but rejoice that he is freed from the pain and suffering which he bore with Christian and knightly fortitude.

As a tribute of love and respect to him and his memory, it is ordered that the Banners, Altars and Jewels of the Grand Commandery and of the Subordinate Commanderies within this Jurisdiction be appropriately draped in mourning for a period of ninety days.

This Order will be read at the head of each Commandery in this Grand Jurisdiction at the next regular Conclave after its receipt and be spread in full upon the records.

Given under my hand and seal of the Grand Commandery K.T. of Massachusetts and Rhode Island this twenty-fifth day of March, A.D. 1912, A.O. 794.

Lafayette G. Blair
Grand Commander

Attest:
B.W. Rowell
Grand Recorder.

The following letter was received

Saint Paul Commandery
Knights Templar.
Dover, N. H. March 20. 1912

Harry W. Bayley, Esq., Recorder.
Newburyport Commandery K.T.
Newburyport, Mass.

My dear Sir and Sir Knight:

At the stated Conclave of St. Paul Commandery, held last evening, it was voted to extend to Newburyport Commandery, Knights Templar, an invitation to be our guests on St. John's Day, June 24th next, which action of the Commandery it is now my pleasure to transmit to you and through you to the officers and Sir Knights of your Commandery.

Sincerely trusting we shall in due course, receive a favorable response I am

Courteously yours

Charles H. Foss
Recorder.

The Eminent Commander stated that as we had at the time of the receipt of the above invitation accepted a similar one from Pilgrim Commandery of Laconia, N.H., he had directed the Recorder to acknowledge the invitation with thanks and state the cause of our inability to accept.

The following was received from Sir Kt. Charles S. Lovejoy.

Newburyport, Mass. April 15. 1912

Sir Knight Harry W. Bayley
Recorder Newburyport Commandery.

Dear Sir:-

Note the amount enclosed in settlement for dues as per statement.

Please request for me a dimit from Newburyport Commandery.

Thanking you I am

Very truly yours
Chas. S. Lovejoy.

On motion it was voted that as Sir Kt. Lovejoy was square on the books of the Commandery, his request for a dimit be granted.

The following applications for the Order of Knighthood were received.

Application
John T. Elliott.

Companion John Thomas Elliott.
Born, Prince Edward Island May 27. 1876
Residence, Amesbury, Mass
Occupation, Superintendent, Amesbury. Mass.
Raised in Continental Lodge #76, Waterbury Conn.
Exalted in Trinity Chapter, Amesbury, Mass.
Recommended and vouched for by Sir Knights Frank M. Scott, Samuel L. Porter, George E. Collins and Harry W. Bayley and referred to a committee consisting of Em. Sirs C. F. Worthen,

B.H. Young and Sir Wm. Frord.

Companion Walter Brown Hopkinson.
Application Born in Newburyport, Mass. Aug. 28. 1865
Residence " "
Walter B. Occupation Salesman, Boston, Mass.
Hopkinson Raised in St Johns Lodge Newburyport,
Exalted in King Cyrus Chapter "
Recommended and vouched for by Em Sirs H.W. Little
Geo. E. Collins and Sirs Harry W. Bayley & J.H. Johnston
and referred to a committee consisting of Em. Sir
Moses Brown and Sir Kts. I.S. Butler & J.H. Johnston

Companion Frank Morton Hoyt.
Application Born in Merrimacport, Mass, Sept. 14. 1871
Frank M Residence. Amesbury, Mass
Hoyt Occupation. Manufacturer. Amesbury, Mass.
Raised in Warren Lodge " "
Exalted " Trinity Chapter " "
Recommended and vouched for by Em Sir Geo. E. Collins
and Sirs H.W. Bayley, J.H. Johnston & A.P. Marden
and referred to a committee consisting of Sirs Knights
Fred England, F.S. Collins & F.M. Scott.

Application for Reinstatement
Sir Kt. George W. Piper,
Application Born in Newburyport, Mass. Sept. 15. 1844
Reinstatement Residence " "
George W Occupation. Retired.
Piper. Raised in St. Johns Lodge Newburyport
Exalted in King Cyrus Chapter "
Member of St Johns Lodge & King Cyrus Chapter.
Recommended and vouched for by Sirs H.W. Bayley
H.W. Little, A.P. Marden & G.E. Collins

The Eminent Commander brought up the matter of delinquents stating that the Council thought as so few were present this evening, it would be advisable not to take action at this conclave.

On motion of Sir Knight Stockman it was voted that action on delinquents be postponed until the May Conclave.

The Eminent Commander stated that in cleaning out the Commandery closet he had found the Commandery records from 1823 to 1866 and that he was having a strong-box made to hold the records and would see that they are carefully preserved.

Em. Sir Little stated that he had begun to outline several propositions for the St Johns Day pilgrimage and would present them at the next Conclave

The Eminent Commander called to the attention of the Commandery the many acts of of courtesy which had been performed by Sir Kt. Henry W. Clark of Hugh de Payens Commandery, for this Commandery, he having taken marked interest in our Sir Knights as well as the Commandery itself and he thought it eminently proper that some action should be taken in recognition of his courtesy.

On motion of Em Sir Collins that Sir Kt. Henry W. Clark be made an Honorary member of Newburyport Commandery, was ordered to be placed on the notices of the May Conclave.

Red Cross Business in the Commandery was suspended and a Council of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross
W.G. Dodge. opened and the Order was conferred upon
Comp. William Garnet Dodge.

The Council of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross was closed and business in the Commandery resumed.

Commandery closed

Attest:
Harry W. Bayley
Recorder

Newburyport, Mass. May 16. 1912

A Stated Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No. 3. Knights Templars was convened at the Asylum this evening.

Present Em. Sir Henry W. Little, E.C.
" Samuel L. Porter, C.G.
" Gorham D. Rogers, S.W.
" James H. Johnston, J.W.
Em. " Moses Brown, P.
" Harry W. Bayley, R.
" Charles A. Stockman, St.B.
" Clarence Danforth, Sw.B.
" Albert K. Cheney, W.
" Charles F. Pillsbury, Third Guard
" Fred W. Piper Second "
" Alfred W. Kimball First "
" Oscar H. Nelson Asst "
" Lawrence B. Cheney " "
" Arthur P. Marden, M.D.
" Frank H. Rundlett S.
" Irving S. Butler Adj.

also Em. Sir Green Davis
" " Charles F. Worthen
" " Moody B. Noyes

and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery

LeRoy Berry,
Wm. Ford,
D.A. Lunt,
F.E. Miller,
F.M. Swett,

J.W. Clark,
S.J. Ford,
T.L. Lawton,
M.H. McKinney,
C.R. Scott,
R.H. Wilde.

F.P. Currier,
G.A. Johnson,
G.W. Marquand,
C.L. Perkins
W.W. Pillsbury

Visitors

Sir Kt. Hiram Rathbun, St. John's Commandery, Willimantic, Conn.
" " J.W. Robbins, St. Pauls " Dover, N.H.
Harvard Quartette. " " Jewell Boyd, Cambridge " #42 Cambridge, Mass
" " Lester M. Bartlett, Jos. Warren " 26. Roxbury "
" " John L. Thomas, " " " 26 " "
" " Wirt B. Phillips, Coeur de Lion " 34 Charlestown "

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars.

The records of the previous Conclave were read and declared approved.

A card of thanks was received Margaret C. Balch for flowers sent to Sir Kt. Albert Currier on his 93d birthday April 7.

John T. Elliott elected. The committee to whom was referred the application of Companion John Thomas Elliott, reported, a ballot was ordered and he was declared elected to receive the Orders of Knighthood as conferred by Newburyport Commandery.

Walter B. Hopkinson elected. The committee to whom was referred the application of Companion Walter Brown Hopkinson, reported, a ballot was ordered and he was declared elected to receive the Orders of Knighthood as conferred by Newburyport Commandery

Frank M. Hoyt elected. The committee to whom was referred the application of Companion Frank Morton Hoyt, reported, a ballot was ordered and he was declared elected to receive the Orders of Knighthood as conferred by Newburyport Commandery

The petition of Sir Knight George W. Piper for reinstatement was presented for action, he having been suspended May 19. 1904 for nonpayment of dues.

George W
Piper
Reinstated

The Recorder, in reply to an enquiry on the subject of how much Sir Kt. Piper owed for dues at the time of his suspension, stated that when he was elected Recorder no record or book showing the amount of Sir Kt. Pipers indebtedness had been turned over to him and was therefore unable to give the information desired.

On motion it was voted that the the dues of Sir Kt. George W. Piper, owed at the time of his suspension, be remitted.

On motion of Sir Kt. Butler it was unanimously voted that Sir Kt. George W. Piper be reinstated.

George W.
Piper—
Application
for
membership.

The Eminent Commander appointed Em. Sir Moody B. Noyes, and Sir Kts. J. S. Butler and W. W. Pillsbury as a committee on the application of Sir Kt. George W. Piper for membership in Newburyport Commandery.

The Eminent Commander made a report on two propositions for the St Johns Day Pilgrimage to Laconia N. H.

First Proposition

Leave Newburyport 6.30 Monday morning June 24 by special train, leave Laconia at 7. P. M. arriving back at 11. P. M— cost \$10. each.

Second Proposition.

Leave Newburyport 1. P. M. Sunday June 23, arrive at the Weirs at 4 oclock, dinner, lodging and breakfast at the New Weirs Hotel, leave the Weirs at 6. A. M. Monday arrive at Laconia at 8.30 leave at 7. P. M. arrive Newburyport at 11. oclock. Band to be picked up on the way up. cost \$12. each.

On motion it was unanimously voted to adopt the second proposition.

On motion of Sir Kt. Stockman it was voted that pages of the records be dedicated to the memory of the late Sir Knights Albert W. Danforth and Albert Currier who had passed from this life since our last Conclave.

The Eminent Commander reported on the matter of delinquents and that the Council recommended that the Recorder notify

Sir Knights, John W. Douglass
" " George B. Felch
" " George W. Mauser
" " John C. Risteen
" " George W. Osgood.

that their names will be brought up for final action at the June Conclave.

On motion of Em. Sir Geo. Davis it was voted that the dues of Sir Kt. John W. Douglass be remitted

On motion of Em. Sir Moody B. Noyes it was voted that the recommendation of the Council as applied to Sir Kts. Felch, Mauser, Risteen + Osgood be adopted

The motion made at the April Conclave by Em. Sir Geo. E. Collins, that Sir Knight Henry W. Clark be made an Honorary Member of Newburyport Commandery in appreciation of his many acts of kindness, was unanimously passed.

The Order of the Temple was conferred upon Companion William Garret Dodge, the officers being assisted in the Work by the Harvard Male Quartett, who rendered several selections.

14 Sir Knights present in regalia

Commandery closed

Attest: Harry W. Bayley
Recorder

In Memoriam

Albert W. Danforth

Born Aug. 25. 1851

Saint John's Lodge

Entered Apprentice	June 15. 1881
Fellowcraft	June 15, 1881
Master Mason	June 22. 1881.

King Cyrus Chapter

Mark Master	Februay 9. 1882
Past Master	February 9, 1882
Most Excellent Master	February 23. 1882
Royal Arch Mason	March 9. 1882

Newburyport Commandery

Red Cross	March 16. 1882
Temple	April 20. 1882
Malta	July. 20. 1882.

Died April 26, 1912.

In Memoriam

Albert Currier

Born April 7. 1819.

Saint Marks Lodge.

Entered Apprentice	March 22, 1858
Fellowcraft	April 27, 1858
Master Mason	June 8, 1858

King Cyrus Chapter

Mark Master	September 14, 1858
Past Master	September 14, 1858
Most Excellent Master	September 14, 1858
Royal Arch Mason	October 4. 1858

Newburyport Commandery

Red Cross	February 3. 1859
Temple	February 3. 1859
Malta	February 3. 1859

Died May 12, 1912

Newburyport, Mass., May 23. 1912.

A special Conclave of Newburyport Commandery Knights Templar was convened this evening at the Asylum.

Present	Em. Sir	Henry W. Little,	E. C.
	"	Samuel L. Porter,	C. G.
	"	James H. Johnston,	J. W.
	Em. "	Moses Brown,	P.
	"	Harry W. Bayley,	R.
	"	Chas. A. Stockman,	St. B.
	"	Albert K. Cheney,	W.
	"	Chas. F. Pillsbury,	Third Guard
	"	Fred W. Piper,	Second "
	"	Alfred W. Kimball,	First "
	"	Arthur P. Marden,	M. D.
	"	Frank H. Rundlett,	S.
	"	Irving S. Butler,	Adj.

also Em. Sir. Benjamin J. Warton,
" " George E. Collins,
" " Moody B. Noyes.

and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery

C. W. Cooke, Wm. Ford, S. J. Ford,
T. L. Lawton, F. M. Swett, J. W. Talbot,
R. H. Wilde, A. A. H. Whelpley.

Visitor

Sir Kt. Hiram Rathburn, St. John's Commandery, Willimantic, Conn.

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templar.

The Eminent Commander stated that the object of this Conclave was to confer the Order of the Red Cross.

Business in the Commandery was suspended and a Council of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross opened.

Red Cross. The Order of the Red Cross was conferred upon Companion John T. Elliott
" Frank M. Hoyt.

The Council of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross was suspended and business in the Commandery resumed.

The Eminent Commander appointed the following committee to carry out the details of the plans for Saint John's Day.

The Council
Em. Sir. Moody B. Noyes,
" " George E. Collins,
" Fred W. Piper
" James H. Johnston
" Samuel J. Ford
" Irving S. Butler
" Arthur P. Marden
" Chas. F. Pillsbury
" James W. Clark
" Chas. A. Stockman.
" Oscar H. Nelson
" Edward E. Hicken, Treas.
" Harry W. Bayley, Recorder.

Commandery closed

Attest: Harry W. Bayley
Recorder.

Newburyport, Mass., June 20. 1912

A stated Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No 3 K. T. was convened at the Asylum this evening

Present. Em. Sir Henry W. Little, E. C.
" Joseph N. Dummer, G.
" Samuel L. Porter, C. G.
" Gorham D. Rogers, S. W.
" James H. Johnston. J. W.
Em. " Moses Brown, P.
" Harry W. Bayley, R.
" Charles A. Stockman, St. B.
" Albert K. Cheney, W.
" Charles F. Pillsbury, Third Guard
" Fred W. Piper, Second "
" Alfred W. Kimball, First "
" Lawrence B. Cheney, Asst. "
" Arthur P. Marden, M. D.
" Frank H. Rundlett, S.

also Em. Sir Charles F. Worthen,
" " Benjamin J. Warton,
" " George E. Collins,
" " Moody B. Noyes.

and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery

W. E. Aubin,
W. G. Dodge,
J. L. Jacoby
C. E. Houghton,
W. W. Pillsbury,
C. R. Scott,

W. F. Cook,
Wm. Ford,
J. T. Litch
M. H. McKinney,
F. M. Swett,
R. H. Wilde

S. J. Dauphinee,
G. A. Johnson,
T. L. Lawton,
C. L. Perkins.
J. W. Talbot,
A. A. H. Whelpley.

Visitor

Sir Kt. Hiram Rathbun, St. Johns Commandery, Willimantic, Conn.

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars.

The records of the previous Conclave were read and declared approved.

The following dispensation was received.

Grand Commandery of Knights Templars
and the
Appendant Orders of Massachusetts & Rhode Island.
Office of the Grand Commander.
Boston, June 6. 1912.

To the Eminent Commander, Officers and Sir Knights
of Newburyport Commandery No 3.
Stationed at Newburyport, Mass.

Good cause having been shown, I, by virtue of the power in me vested as Grand Commander of the Grand Commandery of Massachusetts and Rhode Island, do hereby grant this, my dispensation, authorizing said Commandery to depart from this jurisdiction and journey into the State of New Hampshire in full Templar uniform with music and banners on the 24th and 25th of June current, for the purpose of paying Pilgrim Commandery of Laconia, New Hampshire, a fraternal visit.

Due and proper return will be made to me of the action had under this authority within thirty days of its acceptance, and this dispensation filed in the Archives of the Commandery and spread in full upon its records.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Grand Commandery this sixth day of June A.D. 1912, A.O. 794

Signed Lafayette G. Blair
Grand Commander.

This dispensation was accompanied by the following.

Grand Commandery of Knights Templar
of the
State of New Hampshire

To Whom it may Concern, Greeting:

Whereas application has been made to me by the Grand Commander of the Grand Commandery of Massachusetts & Rhode Island in behalf of Newburyport Commandery No 3, to invade the jurisdiction of the Grand Commandery of the State of New Hampshire in full Templar uniform with music and banners, on the 24th and 25th of June, 1912, for the purpose of paying a fraternal visit to Pilgrim Commandery of Laconia, N.H. and good and sufficient cause appearing to me for granting said petition:

Now therefore Know ye, that I, Charles H. Hersey Grand Commander of Knights Templar of New Hampshire, by virtue of the authority in me vested, do hereby issue this my dispensation said application on behalf of said Newburyport Commandery No 3.

Witness my hand at Keene, this fifth day of June 1912

Signed
Charles H. Hersey
Grand Commander.

The following letter was received.

Boston, June. 11. 1912.

Mr. Harry W. Bayley, Recorder.
Newburyport, Mass.

Dear Sir Knight:-

In reply to your communication of May 18, I wish through you to express to Newburyport Commandery No 3, Knights Templars

my very deep appreciation of the great courtesy which they have extended in electing me an Honorary Member of the oldest Commandery in this Jurisdiction, the same coming as a complete surprise to me.

I have always enjoyed my many pleasant associations with Newburyport Commandery and its Sir Knights, and have felt as much at home there as in my home Commandery.

Wishing that I might better express than in these few words my sincere feelings over the honor thus bestowed upon me, I am.

Fraternally yours
(Signed) Henry W. Clark.

The following applications for the Order were received.

Companion Walter N. Brown.

Walter N. Brown application

Born in Salisbury, Mass. July 9. 1879
Residence Newburyport "
Occupation, Dentist
Raised in Saint Johns Lodge, Newburyport
Exalted in King Cyrus Chapter, "
Recommended and vouched for by Sir Knights H. W. Bayley, George E. Collins & A. P. Marden.
and referred to a committee consisting of Em. Sir B. J. Warton, and Sirs G. A. Johnson & F. W. Piper

Companion John Henry Clark

John H. Clark Application

Born in Cambridge, Mass, March. 6. 1883.
Residence Newburyport, "
Occupation Superintendent
Raised in St. Marks Lodge, Newburyport,
Exalted in King Cyrus Chapter "
Recommended and vouched for by Sirs G. A. Johnson, H. W. Bayley and A. P. Marden
and referred to a committee consisting of Sirs J. H. Johnston, L. B. Cheney & T. L. Lawton.

The committee to whom was referred the

Geo W. Piper elected. Application of Sir Knight George W. Piper for membership, reported, a ballot was ordered and he was declared elected a member of Newburyport Commandery.

In the matter of delinquents, the Eminent Commander reported that the Recorder had notified them that final action would be taken at this conclave and no response had been received from

Sir Knight George B. Felch
Delinquents Em. " " John C. Risteen
" " George W. Manser.

On motion of Em. Sir Collins it was voted that Sir Kt. Geo. B. Felch be suspended.

On motion of Sir Kt. Marden it was voted that Em. Sir John C. Risteen be suspended.

On motion of Sir Kt. Perkins it was voted that action on the name of Sir Kt. George W. Manser be postponed until the September Conclave.

The Eminent Commander reported that all arrangements had been made for the St. John's Day pilgrimage to Laconia, and hoped that there would be 100 Sir Knights in line.

On motion of the Recorder it was voted that the next Stated Conclave be held the third Thursday in September.

The Order of the Temple was conferred
Temple. upon Companion Frank M. Hoyt
" John T. Elliott

The Order of Malta was conferred upon
Malta. Sir Kts. William G. Dodge, John T. Elliott, Frank M. Hoyt, Charles E. Houghton, + John T. Litch

Commandery closed

Harry W. Bayley Recorder

Newburyport, Mass. June 23. 1912.

A special Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No 3 Knights Templars was convened at the Asylum at 12.15 P.M. today for the purpose of making a pilgrimage to Laconia, N.H, as the guests of Pilgrim Commandery.

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars.

Present.	Em. Sir	Henry W. Little	E. C.
	"	Joseph N. Dummer	G.
	"	Samuel L. Porter	C. G.
	"	James H. Johnston	J. W.
	Em "	Moses Brown	P.
	"	Edward E. Hicken	T.
	"	Harry W. Bayley	R.
	"	Charles A. Stockman	St. B.
	"	Albert K. Cheney	W.
	"	Charles F. Pillsbury	Third Guard.
	"	Fred W. Piper	Second "
	"	Alfred W. Kimball	First "
	"	Oscar H. Nelson	Asst. "
	"	Lawrence B. Cheney	" "
	"	Arthur P. Marden	M. D.
	"	Frank H. Rundlett	S.
	"	Irving S. Butler	Adj.

also Em Sir Orrin J. Gurney
" " Charles F. Worthen
" " Benjamin J. Warton
" " William G. Fisher
" " George E. Collins
" " Benjamin Pearson
" " Moody B. Noyes.

and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery

W. E. Aubin,	H. A. Besse,	J. E. Baumgartner.
G. L. Bean,	A. H. Berry,	W. F. Cook,
F. S. Collins,	J. W. Clark,	S. J. Dauphinee
E. F. Dempsey,	C. E. Davis,	W. G. Dodge,
J. T. Elliott,	Wm. Ford,	S. J. Ford,
G. A. Fogg,	J. W. Gurney,	C. E. Houghton.
F. M. Hoyt,	J. L. Jacoby,	G. A. Johnson,
Moody Kimball,	T. L. Lawton,	J. T. Litch,
D. A. Lunt,	J. L. Morrill,	J. J. Mason,
M. B. Merrill,	G. W. Marquand,	R. J. McKinney,
M. H. McKinney,	W. H. Noyes,	H. J. Noyes,
F. G. Newton,	G. W. Osgood,	A. N. Parry,
C. L. Perkins,	Isaac Poor,	G. E. Philbrook,
A. G. Quimby,	B. A. Rogers,	F. M. Swett,
A. F. Swain,	C. R. Scott,	J. W. Talbot,
G. R. Tarbox,	W. H. Welch,	W. J. Webster,
C. W. Wells,	J. H. Wheeler,	A. A. H. Whelpley.
A. P. Wilson,	R. H. Wilde.	

Visitors

Sir Kt. W. R. Butler	Jos. Warren	Com.	Roxbury,	Mass.
" " F. S. Fowler	St. John's	"	Willimantic,	Conn.
" " Hiram Rathbun	"	"	"	"
" " J. W. Robbins	St. Paul	"	Dover,	N. H.
" " G. H. Saunders	St. Lawrence	"	Canton,	N. Y.

who assembled at the B.&M. Station, leaving at 1.00 P.M. by special train picking up the band at Rochester, arriving at The Weirs at 3.30, sojourning at the New Weirs Hotel, over night, leaving by special electric cars at 8.15 o'clock arriving at Laconia at 9. o'clock, being received at the station by Pilgrim Commandery.

Trinity Commandery of Manchester N.H. arrived at 9.15 and after being received by Pilgrim, the lines were formed and after a short march, were escorted to the Opera House for lunch.

At 11. o'clock a special train was taken for Lake Shore Park, on the shore of Lake Winnepesauke

Here regalias were laid aside and the time

given to the enjoyment of a delightful sail on the lake in the Steamer Mt. Washington, sports vaudeville, and dinner,

Leaving the Park at 6. o'clock for Laconia, marched to the Asylum of Pilgrim Commandery for lunch. after which tripple lines were formed, and under escort of three consolidated bands proceeded through the main streets (which were illuminated by red fire) to the station, leaving Laconia at 8.40 arriving home at 11.15. completing one of the most enjoyable pilgrimages ever taken by the Commandery

Commandery closed

Attest Harry W. Bayley
Recorder.

Newburyport, Mass. Aug 13. 1912

A special Conclave of Newburyport Commandery Knights Templars was convened at the Asylum at 1.45 oclock P.M. today for the purpose of attending the funeral of the late Sir Kt. Elijah W. Burke Jr. who passed from this life Saturday Aug 10.

Present Em. Sir Henry W. Little, E.C.
" " Moses Brown P.
" " Albert K. Cheney W.
" " Frank H. Rundlett S.

also Em. Sir William J. Fisher
" " George E. Collins

and Sir Knights J. M. Bailey
Wm Ford
M. H. McKinney

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars.

Carriages were taken to the residence of our departed Frater, where the remains were escorted to Oak Hill Cemetary where the beautiful and impressive Templar burial service was rendered and the body of our friend and Sir Knight laid to rest.

Upon returning to the Asylum the Commandery was closed.

Attest Harry W. Bayley
Recorder.

Newburyport, Mass., Sept. 19 - 1912

The Annual Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No 3. Knights Templars was convened at the Asylum this evening,

Present Em. Sir Henry W. Little, E.C.
" Joseph N. Dummer, G.
" Samuel L. Porter, C.G.
" Gorham D. Rogers, S.W.
" James H. Johnston, J.W.
" Edward E. Hickin, T.
" Harry W. Bayley, R.
" Charles A. Stockman, St. B.
" Albert K. Cheney, W.
" Charles F. Pillsbury, Third Guard.
" Fred W. Piper, Second "
" Oscar H. Nelson, Asst. "
" Lawrence B. Cheney, " "
" Arthur P. Marden, M.D.
" Frank H. Rundlett, S.
" Irving S. Butler, Adj.

also Em Sir Cyrus Davis,
" " Charles F. Worthen,
" " George E. Collins,
" " Benjamin Pearson,
" " Moody B. Noyes

and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery.

W. E. Aubin, C. W. Cooke,
J. T. Elliott, Wm Ford,
J. T. Litch, F. M. Swett.

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars.

The records of the Stated Conclave of June 20 and Special Conclaves of June 24 and Aug. 13 were read and declared approved.

Dimits W.E.McLellan H.W.Quinlin Requests for dimits were received from Sir Knights William E. McLellan and Herman W. Quinlin and they being square on the books their requests were granted.

Walter N. Brown elected. The committee to whom was referred the application of Companion Walter N. Brown, reported, a ballot was ordered and he was declared elected to receive the Order of Knighthood as conferred by Newburyport Commandery

John H. Clark elected. The committee to whom was referred the application of Companion John H. Clark, reported a ballot was ordered and he was declared elected to receive the Orders of Knighthood as conferred by Newburyport Commandery

On motion of Em. Sir Pearson it was voted that a page of the records be dedicated to the memory of the late Sir Knight Elijah W. Burke Jr.

The matter of dues of Sir Knight George W. Manser, on which action had been postponed until this Conclave, was brought up and it was voted on motion of Em. Sir Noyes that the dues of Sir Knight George W. Manser, amounting to $16.00 to Sept. 30. 1912, be remitted.

The Recorder read the following as the report of the Treasurer.

To the Eminent Commanders and Members
of Newburyport Commandery:-

I submit the following as my report for the year ending Sept. 19, 1912

Receipts

Cash on hand at beginning of year	$172.60	
Received from H.W. Bayley, Recorder.	2222.97	
Total receipts		$2395.57

Expenditures

Per Capita Tax	$99.25	
New Regalia and Equipment	82.50	
Deposited in Five Cents Savings Bank	100.00	
Rent, Gas & Telephone	154.64	
Flowers	38.00	
Recorder's Salary	50.00	
Postage	78.17	
Printing	56.90	
F. H. Rundlett, Tyler	31.56	
Refreshments & Cigars	297.29	
Past Commander's Jewel	50.00	
Harvard Quartet.	27.20	
Trustees Permanent Fund	45.00	
St Johns Day.	1126.48	
Miscellaneous	106.92	
Total Expenditures		$2343.91
Cash on hand in First Natl. Bank		$51.66
" in Five Cents Savings Bank		768.86
Total funds in hands of Treasurer.		$820.52

Respectfully submitted
Edward E. Hicken, Treas.

The Eminent Commander stated that the Council had been unable to have a meeting as yet to audit the books of the Treasurer and Recorder but expected to do so in a few days.

On motion of Em. Sir Pearson it was voted that the report of the Treasurer be referred to the Council.

The Recorder rendered the following report:

Newburyport, Sept. 19. 1912
To the Eminent Commander, Officers and
Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery.

I beg to submit the following as the report of the Recorder for the year now ending:-

Membership

Membership Sept. 21. 1911.	Active	213	
	Honorary	4	217
Admitted during year	Active	10	
	Honorary	1	11
Total			228
Died during year	Active	4	
	Honorary	1	
Dimitted " "		1	
Suspended " "		2	8
Membership Sept. 19. 1912	Active	216	220
	Honorary	4	

Receipts

Received for Orders conferred	450.	
" not "	50.	
Membership	10.	
Back Dues.	244.	
Dues of 1912	482.	
Advance Dues.	4.	
St John's Day 1911 (B&M. Rebate)	18.50	
" " 1912	937.	
Mileage Book.	1.58	
Commandery Badges	8.50	
Traveling Cards.	1.50	
Sundries	15.89	
Paid to Treasurer as per vouchers.		$2222.97

Condition of Dues.

Dues unpaid Sept. 11. 1911	$376.	
" charged to " 30. 1912	844.	
" " " " " 1913	4	$1224.
Dues remitted by vote of Commandery	8.	
" unpaid at time of death	21.	
" " " " " suspension	30.	
" paid during year	730.	789.
" unpaid Sept. 19. 1912.		$435.

Classification of Dues.

6	Sir Knights	owe		$1.	each	$6.	
1	"	"	"	2.	"	2.	
1	"	"	"	3.	"	3.	
60	"	"	"	4.	"	240.	
2	"	"	"	5.	"	10.	
1	"	"	"	6.	"	6.	
2	"	"	"	7.	"	14.	
16	"	"	"	8.	"	128.	
1	"	"	"	10.	"	10.	
1	"	"	"	16.	"	16	$435.

23 Sir Knights owe five or more quarters dues amounting to $184.

Respectfully submitted
Harry W. Bayley
Recorder

On motion it was voted that the report of the Recorder be accepted.

The Recorder reported the names of those Sir Knights who owed five or more quarter's dues and the list was referred to the Council.

On motion of Sir Knight F. W. Piper it was voted that the dues of Sir Knight Wm. Gillis amounting to $8. to Sept. 30. 1912. be remitted.

Em. Sir Gen Davis rendered the following as the report of the Trustee of Permanent Fund.

On hand in Five Cents Sav. Bank Sep 11. 1911.	$504.01
Received interest	19.44
" 10% of Order Fees.	45.
On hand in Five Cents Sav. Bk. Book # 12999.	$568.45

This being the time for election of officers for the ensuing year the Em. Com. appointed a committee consisting of Em Sirs George E. Collins, & Benjamin Pearson and Sir Knight Irving S. Butler to receive, sort and count ballots and called for nominations for Eminent Commander.

E.C. On motion of Em. Sir Davis it was voted that the Recorder cast one ballot for Em. Sir Henry W. Little as Eminent Commander for the ensuing year.

The Recorder attended to his duty and the Generalissimo declared Em. Sir Little elected and the Em Sir thanked the Commandery for the honor thus conferred.

Genl. On motion of Em. Sir Noyes it was voted that the Recorder cast one ballot for Sir Kt. Joseph N. Dummer as Generalissimo for the ensuing year.

The ballot was cast and Joseph N. Dummer was declared elected

C.G. On motion of Em. Sir Pearson it was voted that the Recorder cast one ballot for Sir Kt. Samuel L. Porter as Capt. Genl. for the ensuing year

The Recorder cast the ballot as directed and Sir Kt. Porter was declared elected.

S.W. On motion of Em. Sir Worthen it was voted that the Recorder cast one ballot for Sir Kt. Gorham D Rogers for S. Warden for the ensuing year

The ballot was cast and Sir Kt. Rogers was declared elected.

J.W. On motion of Sir Kt. Nelson it was voted that the Recorder cast one ballot for Sir Kt. James H. Johnston as Junior Warden for the ensuing year

The ballot was cast and Sir Kt. Johnston was declared elected.

P. On motion of Em. Sir Collins it was voted that the Recorder cast one ballot for Em. Sir Moses Brown as Prelate for the ensuing year

The ballot was cast and Em. Sir Brown was declared elected.

T. On motion of Em. Sir Collins it was voted that the Recorder cast one ballot for Sir Kt. Edward E. Hicken for Treasurer for the ensuing year.

The Recorder cast the ballot and Sir Kt. Hicken was declared elected.

R. On motion of Em. Sir Pearson it was voted that Em Sir Collins cast one ballot for Sir Knight Harry W. Bayley as Recorder for the ensuing year.

Em. Sir Collins cast the ballot and Sir Kt Bayley was declared elected.

Trustee On motion it was voted that the Recorder cast one ballot for Em Sir. Moody B. Noyes as Trustee of Permanent Fund for three years.

The ballot was cast and Em. Sir Noyes was declared elected.

On motion of Em Sir Collins it was voted that the salary of the Recorder for the ensuing year be the same as for last year viz $\$50^{00}$

The Eminent Commander brought up the subject of names of candidates appearing on notices and from the fact that the notices were printed in a public printing office where there was good opportunity for outsiders to know what was going on and thought that it would be better if the printing of the notices could be done by a Knight Templar or by some out of town printer

The thought of the Eminent Commander seemed to appeal to the Sir Knights and it was voted that the matter be left with the Council with full power.

Commandery closed

Attest: Harry W. Bayley
Recorder.

In Memoriam

Elijah W. Burke Jr

Born June 23, 1854.

Saint Johns Lodge, A.F.&A.M.

Entered Apprentice	March 8, 1905
Fellow-craft.	April 12, 1905
Master Mason	May 12, 1905

King Cyrus Chapter, R.A.M.

Mark Master	Dec. 14. 1905
Past Master	Dec. 14. 1905
Most Excellent Master	Jan. 11. 1906
Royal Arch Mason	Feb. 8. 1906

Newburyport Commandery, K.T.

Red Cross	March 5. 1906
Temple	March 22. 1906
Malta	March 22. 1906

Died August 10, 1912.

Newburyport, Mass. Oct. 17. 1912

A stated Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No 3. K. T. was convened at the Asylum this evening.

Present Em. Sir Henry W. Little, E. C.
" Joseph N. Dummer, G.
" Samuel L. Porter, C. G.
" James H. Johnston, S. W.
" Edward E. Heckin, T.
" Harry W. Bayley, P.
" Charles A. Stockman, St. B.
" Clarence Danforth, Sw. B.
" Albert K. Cheney, W.
" Fred W. Piper, Second Guard
" Arthur P. Marden, M. D.
" Frank H. Rundlett, S.
" Irving S. Butler, Adj.

also Em. Sir Green Davis
" " Charles F. Worthen
" " Benjamin J. Warton
" " William G. Fisher
" " George E. Collins

and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery:
J. E. Baumgartner, F. P. Currier,
J. T. Elliott, M. H. McKinney,
E. L. Perkins, F. M. Swett,
J. G. B. Welch.

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars.

The records of the previous Conclave were read and declared approved.

A letter was received from Sir Kt. James H. Young requesting a dimit, and he being square on the books his request was granted.

The Eminent Commander stated that the Council would recommend that action on delinquents be postponed until the next Conclave, except in the case of Sir Kt. George H. Stevens, and in this they would recommend that his dues amounting to $8.00 to Sept. 30. 1912, be remitted.

On motion of Em. Sir Fisher it was voted that the dues of Sir Kt. George H. Stevens be remitted to Sept. 30. 1912.

Sir Kt. I. S. Butler brought up the subject of a ladies night by the Commandery and advocated its adoption.

On motion of Sir Kt. F. W. Piper it was unanimously voted that Newburyport Commandery hold a ladies night, that a committee be appointed consisting of the Council and two others, with full powers with the understanding that the committee report their progress from time to time.

On motion of Sir Kt. I. S. Butler it was voted that a committee be appointed to draw up suitable resolutions to Hugh de Payens Commandery of Keene, N. H. for courtesies extended to us on St. John's Day 1911 and to Pilgrim Commandery of Laconia N. H. for St. John's Day 1912, and the Eminent Commander appointed Em Sirs George E. Collins & Moses Brown and Sir Knights Irving S. Butler and the Recorder as that committee.

The Recorder stated that he had received a letter from Sir Kt. Milton S. Thompson and had also had some conversation with him in relation to being relieved from the payment of dues, he desiring some arrangement whereby, by the payment of a certain sum his dues would cease and had offered to

pay \$50. for this privilege.
The subject was discussed but from the fact that our By Laws specify the sum of \$100. for Life Membership it was taken under consideration by the Council.

At this time the Eminent Commander invited Em Sir W. G. Fisher to the head of the Commandery for the purpose of installing the officers elect and appointed for the ensuing year and requested Em. Sir George E. Colliek to act as Grand Warder, and
Em. Sir Henry W. Little was installed as Eminent Commander

Sir Joseph N. Dummer	as	Genl.
" Samuel L. Porter	"	C. Genl.
" James H. Johnston	"	J. W.
" Edward E. Hicken	"	T.
" Harry W. Bayley	"	R.
" Charles A. Stockman	"	St. B.
" Clarence Danforth	"	Sw. B.
" Albert K. Cheney	"	W.
" Fred W. Piper	"	Second Guard.
" Arthur P. Marden	"	M. D.
" Frank H. Rundlett	"	S.
" Irving S. Butler	"	Adj

and the Grand Warder proclaimed the officers of Newburyport Commandery with the exception of Senior Warden, first and third Guards and Assistant Guards, duly installed.

Commandery closed

Attest:
Harry W. Bayley
Recorder.

Newburyport. Mass. Nov. 21. 1912

A stated Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No 3. Knights Templars was convened at the Asylum this evening.

Present	Em.	Sir Henry W. Little,	E. C.
		" Joseph N. Dummer,	G.
		" Samuel L. Porter.	C. G.
		" James H. Johnston,	J. W.
	Em.	" Moses Brown,	P.
		" Harry W. Bayley,	R.
		" Charles A. Stockman,	St. B.
		" Clarence Danforth.	Sw. B.
		" Albert K. Cheney,	W.
		" Charles F. Pillsbury,	Third Guard
		" Fred W. Piper,	Second "
		" Alfred W. Kimball,	First "
		" Oscar H. Nelson,	Asst. "
		" John T. Litch,	" "
		" Matthew H. McKinney,	" "
		" Arthur P. Marden,	M. D.
		" Frank H. Rundlett,	S.
		" Irving S. Butler,	Adj.

also Em Sir Green Davis,
" " Benjamin Pearson,

and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery:

J. E. Baumgartner.	C. W. Cooke,
C. E. Davis,	G. A. Johnson,
H. E. Lombard,	F. E. Miller,

Visitor
Sir Kt. Hiram Rathburn, St. John's Commandery Willimantic, Conn.

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars.

The records of the previous Conclave were read and declared approved.

Notice was received of the appointment of Em. Sir Harry G. Pollard, Grand Captain of the Guard as Inspecting Officer of Newburyport Commandery.

The following Communications were received

Grand Commandery of Knights Templars.
and the Appendant Orders of
Massachusetts and Rhode Island.

Office of the R.: E.: Grand Commander
144 Congress St. Boston, Nov. 1. 1912.

General Orders
Series 1912-1913, No. 1.

To all Knights Templars within the Jurisdiction of
this Grand Commandery:

The following sentiment has been prepared by the Committee on Christmas Observance of the Grand Encampment of the United States of America:

To our Grand Master, Most Eminent Sir William Bromwell Melish, a worthy successor to those gallant Knights who have so ably led the Templar host. May his future be long and prosperous.

The Grand Master sends the following response:

The Christmas Toast of 1912 is the last to which I shall make response as Grand Master of Knights Templar in the United States. I return heartfelt thanks to the loyal Knights who have done, and are doing, so much to help in carrying out the mission of our Order, to follow the new commandment given unto us by our Immanuel, "that ye love one another".

The most satisfactory thing in all this earthly life is to be able to serve our fellow beings:- first, those who are bound to us by ties of fraternal love,

then the wider circle of our fellow men. To be of service is the solid foundation for contentment in this world.

Let "Service in His Name" be the thought and purpose of our Christmas Observance of 1912.

Let our deeds of Charity - which is love - of this Christmastide make our lives like songs, brave, cheery, tender and true, that shall sing themselves into other lives, and so help and lighten burdens and cares.

Be an "Elder Brother" to some one or more who needs the counsel and help of a brother.

Give your brother the grip, the hearty handclasp, look of faith out of the eyes, that touch of soul you know so well.

Stand true, stand for selfhood and an uplift for the Brotherhood.

May the coming year be the best of all that have preceded it for the Orders of Christian Masonic Knighthood, so that we of the Orders of Knights Templar may in all changes of fortune, and down to the gates of death, be loyal to our Orders and its principles, loving one another.

This is the present day "Call of the Cross" -
"Onward Christian Soldiers".

Yours in the bond of the Order
William Bromwell Melish
Grand Master.

It will be gratifying to the Grand Commander to have the Sir Knights of this Jurisdiction, assembled in their Asylums, their homes, or wherever they may be, join in the sentiment prepared by the Committee, and in wishing the Grand Master a joyous and happy Christmas as a mark of their respect and love for the Grand Master.

This Order will be borne upon the notice of the stated Conclave next preceding December 25, A.D. 1912, A.O. 794, and be read at the head of each Commandery at said Conclave

Witness my hand and the seal of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templars and the Appendant Orders of Massachusetts and Rhode Island, this 1st day of November A.D. 1912. A.O. 794

Frank L. Nagle
Grand Commander.

Seal

Attest:
B.W. Rowell
Grand Recorder.

Grand Commandery of Knights Templars
of Massachusetts and Rhode Island.
Office of the Grand Commander.

In Memoriam.

Right Eminent Sir Charles Adams Stott.
Past Grand Commander
Died October 31, 1912.

General Orders
Series 1912-1913. No 3.

Boston, Mass. Nov. 4. 1912

To the Officers and Members of the Grand Commandery and all the subordinate Commanderies of the States of Massachusetts and Rhode Island, and to the Fraters of sister Jurisdictions:

It is with profound sorrow that I announce the death of our honored frater which took place at his home in Lowell, Mass. Thursday, October 31. 1912.

Right Eminent Sir Charles Adams Stott was born in Dracut, Mass. August 18. 1835, the only child of Charles and Sarah MacAdams Stott. He died at his home at Lowell, Thursday, October 31. 1912.

He was descended from a sturdy and respectable English ancestry which belonged to that class of immigration, the members of which, by their honesty of purpose, fortitude under trial, and sense of responsibility, have done so much to improve the condition, develop the energies and broaden the resources of their adopted country.

His father, Charles Stott, was born in Rochdale, England, August 21. 1799, and came to America in 1826, finally settling in Dracut in 1828, where, in company with Joseph Garnet, Robert Whittaker and a Mr. Fittin, he hired an old woolen mill and machinery at the "Navy Yard", in which he carried on the woolen business for four or five years, afterward assuming the agency of the Belvidere Woolen Mills of Lowell, in which position he continued until his death, in 1882. He also built the Sterling Mills.

Thus the Stott name was identified with the earliest beginnings of the woolen industry in Lowell and Major Stott continued in his fathers business.

He received his education in the public schools of Lowell, being graduated from the high school. His first occupation was in the hardware store of Burbank & Chase, and then for one year as clerk in the counting room of the Merrimack Mfg. Co. Going to the Belvidere Woolen Mills in 1856, he occupied the position of clerk and paymaster until his father's death in 1882, when he succeeded him as agent and treasurer.

Major Stott, previous to the War of the Rebellion, was captain of Company H, Sixth Regiment, M.V.M., and upon that regiment's enlistment he was mustered in as its Major, serving during his nine months service under Colonel Follansbee, at Suffolk, Va.

He was a member of High Street Congregational Church, and had given much of his time and effort to the affairs of the church. His was always the familiar figure at the social affairs of the church, being uniformly either presiding officer, toastmaster or principal speaker.

He married first Mary E., daughter of George W. Bean of Lowell. They had one daughter, Lilla A., born July 24. 1858. His wife died in December 1860 and on December 3. 1863, he married Lizzie Williams of Concord, N. H., who with their four children, Mrs. Frank W. Howe, Miss Edith Stott, Charles W. Stott. and Miss Marion Stott, survive him.

Major Stott was a prominent member of the Masonic fraternity, with which organization he was connected for over fifty years, having received his degrees in Pentucket Lodge December, 1859. He was a member of Kilwinning Lodge, joining that lodge as a charter member in 1866. Exalted a member of Mt. Horeb Royal Arch Chapter February 16, 1861; of Ahasuerus Council October 1. 1866; Past Commander of Pilgrim Commandery in 1867 and 1868; elected Grand Senior Warden, of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templars of Massachusetts and Rhode Island in 1867, serving as Grand Captain General and Grand Generalissimo and elected Grand Commander, in 1873; member of the Massachusetts Consistory and honorary member of the Supreme Council. Scottish Rite of thirty-third degree; member of Massachusetts Commandery, Loyal Legion; Post 42, G. A. R. of which he was commander in 1874 and 1875. and member of The Club of Lowell, Lowell Board of Trade, National Association of Wool Manufactures of Boston; director of the Prescott National Bank, president of the Lowell Mutual Fire Insurance Company and an honorary member of the Massachusetts and Rhode Island Association of Knights Templars Commanders.

In politics he was a Republican and took an active part in both state and city politics, rendering valuable service in many official positions.

He was a member of the common council in 1859-60 of the state legislature in 1867, of the board of aldermen in 1869-70, and was mayor of the city in 1876-77. He became chairman of the Republican state committee in 1881-82. He was chosen presidential elector in 1884.

Major Stott was one of the best known men in Lowell. Noted for energy in any cause he undertook and the unfailing geniality of his personality, he counted among his friends an ever widening circle. His home life was charming and his public life stainless. In his death this Grand Body loses one more of its old-time leaders and his associates a valued friend.

Simple but impressive services were held at 2.30 oclock Sunday, November 3, at the family residence. The house was filled to overflowing by a gathering that represented but a small portion of the many friends that Major Stott had made in his long and useful life of service in Lowell, including delegations from many fraternal and civic bodies that counted him among their esteemed members. Rev. Allen Conant Ferrin, pastor of the High Street Congregational Church, assisted by Rev. Appleton Grannis, rector of St. Anne's Episcopal Church, conducted the services which were marked by a simplicity characteristic of the life of the deceased. The Weber male quartet of Boston assisted. At the grave Post 42 G. A. R., performed their military service and taps was sounded.

The delegations present represented the Grand Commandery of Knights Templars of Massachusetts and Rhode Island, the Lowell cemetery trustees, Post 42, G. A. R., directors of the Lowell Mutual Fire Insurance Co, trustees of Rogers Hall school, Massachusetts Mutual Fire Insurance Union, Pilgrim Commandery, Royal Arch Chapter, Kilwinning Lodge, A. F. & A. M., and Ahasuerus Council. The city was represented by his Honor Mayor James E. O'Donnell and the city council.

The honorary bearers were C. C. Hutchinson, F. W. Kittredge, A. J. Cummock, A. G. Pollard, N. W. Norcross, C. L. Knapp, E. E. Sawyer, C. W. Whidden, and Joseph Peabody. The active bearers were members of the various Masonic bodies, and were Arthur D. Prince, Major Charles J. Noyes, Frank L. Weaver, James F. Savage, Herbert C. Taft, Frank K. Stearns, Charles H. Hobson and Charles E. Bartlett.

As a tribute of respect to our beloved Frater it is hereby ordered that the banners, jewels and altars of this Grand Commandery be draped in mourning for ninety days and that mourning be worn on the jewels, banners and altars of each subordinate Commandery for a like period.

This Order will be read at the head of the lines in each body at the next regular Conclave after its receipt and be spread in full upon the records.

Frank L. Nagle
Grand Commander

(Seal) Attest:
B. W. Rowell
Grand Recorder.

The Eminent Commander stated that efforts were being made to reduce the number of delinquents and that the Council desired further time. Granted

Sir Knight Dunmore said plans were being made for about Jan. 1st to have a genuine Scottish evening.

The Eminent Commander appointed Sir Knights F. W. Piper and Irving S. Butler to act with the Council in planning for Ladies Night.

Business in the Commandery was suspended and a Council of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross opened and the Order was conferred upon
Companion John W. Clark
" Walter A. Brown
" Walter B. Hopkinson.

The Council of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross was closed and business in the Commandery resumed.

Commandery closed.

Attest: Harry W. Bayley
Recorder.

"Newburyport, Mass. Dec. 19. 1912

A stated Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No 3 K.T. was held this evening.

Present Em. Sir	Henry W. Little,	E. C.
"	Joseph N. Dummer,	G.
"	Samuel L. Porter	C. G.
"	James H Johnston	J. W.
Em. "	Moses Brown	P.
"	Harry W. Bayley	R.
"	Charles A. Stockman	St. B.
"	Clarence Danforth	Sw. B.
"	Albert K. Cheney	W.
"	Charles F. Pillsbury	Third Guard.
"	Alfred W. Kimball	First "
"	Oscar H. Nelson	Asst "
"	M. H. McKinney	" "
"	Arthur P. Marden	M. D.
"	Frank H. Rundlett	S.
"	Irving S. Butler	Adj.

and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery.

J. E. Baumgartner,
H. E. Carlisle
G. A. Johnson.
J. W. Talbot,
J. M. Bailey
C. W. Cooke
G. E. Philbrook
J. B. G. Welch

Visitor
Sir Kt. Hiram Rathburn, St John's Commandery
Willimantic, Conn.

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars.

The records of the previous Conclave were read and declared approved.

The following were submitted by the Committee on Resolutions.

Asylum of Newburyport Commandery #3 K.T.
Newburyport, Mass., Sept. 19. 1912.
To the Eminent Commander, Council & Sir Knights
of Hugh de Payens Commandery K.T., Keene, N.H.
Knightly Companions!

On this the Annual Conclave of Newburyport Commandery, having in mind the pleasant relations heretofore existing between your Knightly body and our own, and remembering with especial pleasure the Festival of St. John Baptist of last year when we were so happy as to be your guests, we would ask you to accept our Knightly greetings coupled with our hopes and wishes for your prosperity as a Commandery of Knights Templars.

We beg you to believe that our experience upon our pilgrimage to Keene last year will never fade from our recollection and that we shall never cease to hold in affectionate regard our friends of Hugh de Payens.

Courteously submitted.

Asylum of Newburyport Commandery No 3 K.T.
Newburyport, Mass, Sept. 19. 1912
To the Eminent Commander, Council & Sir Knights
of Pilgrim Commandery K.T., Laconia, N.H.
Knightly Companions!

On this the Annual Conclave of Newburyport Commandery, and the first Conclave subsequent to our Summer recess, having in mind the splendid hospitality received at your hands on the Festival of St. John Baptist last past and desiring to place upon our records and to transmit to you some expression of our appreciation of your unbounded courtesy, we herewith beg you to accept our unanimous acknowledgment thereof.

Surely no warmer welcome, no finer hospitality could be imagined than that we then experienced

We assure you that it will never be forgotten and it is our earnest hope that prosperity may continue to attend your Commandery, that health and happiness may be the lot of every individual of your membership and that the happy relations now existing between our respective bodies may continue to the end of time.

Courteously submitted.

Voted that the resolutions to Hugh de Payens Commandery and Pilgrim Commandery be adopted, placed upon our records and transmitted to them.

The following applications for the Order of Knighthood were received.

Application
Fred W.
Chandler.

Companion Fred W. Chandler
Born in Kansas City, Mo. May 10. 1883.
Residence Newbury, Mass
Occupation. Shoe Mfgr.
Raised in St John's Lodge,
Exalted in King Cyrus Chapter.
Recommended and vouched for by Sirs H.W. Bayley, C.A. Stockman & I.S. Butler and referred to Sirs F.W. Piper, G.E. Philbrook & C.F. Pillsbury

Application
Charles D
Montgomery

Companion, Charles D. Montgomery.
Born in Lebanon, Me, Jan 4. 1876.
Residence Newburyport, Mass
Occupation Teacher.
Raised in North Star Lodge
Exalted in King Cyrus Chapter.
Recommended by Sirs H.W. Bayley, C.A. Stockman & I.S. Butler and referred to ~~Ers~~ Sir M.B. Noyes & Sirs L.B. Cheney & G.A. Johnson

Application
Ralph W
Nelson.

Companion Ralph W. Nelson
Born in Rowley Mass Jan 28. 1875
Residence Newburyport, Mass Occupation Plumber
Raised in St. Marks Lodge
Exalted in King Cyrus Chapter
Recommended by Sirs H.W. Bayley, C.A. Stockman & G.A. Johnson and referred to Sirs J.H. Johnston, A.K. Cheney & I.S. Butler.

Application
Alexander
G. Perkins.

Companion Alexander G. Perkins
Born in Newburyport Mass. Aug. 28. 1869.
Residence " " Occupation Lumber Dealer
Raised in St Johns Lodge
Exalted in King Cyrus Chapter.
Recommended by Sirs H.W. Bayley, C.A. Stockman, J.H. Johnston. and referred to Sirs S.L. Porter, A.P. Marden & C. Danforth.

Application
Charles W.
Perry Jr.

Companion Charles W. Perry Jr.
Born in Newbury, Mass Oct. 10. 1877.
Residence Newburyport, Mass. Occupation Druggist
Raised in St Marks Lodge
Exalted in King Cyrus Chapter
Recommended by Sirs H.W. Bayley. J.H. Johnston and referred to Sirs E.W. Eaton, C.A. Stockman & H.W. Bayley

Application
Albert H.
Reynolds

Companion Albert H. Reynolds
Born in Marblehead Mass. Sept. 5. 1871
Residence Newburyport, Occupation Clothier
Raised in St. Marks Lodge
Exalted in King Cyrus Chapter
Recommended by Sirs H.W. Bayley, C.A. Stockman & H.E. Dodge and referred to Sirs J.M. Bailey, C. Danforth & O.H. Nelson

The Eminent Commander stated that arrangements for the "Scottish evening" are being made and special notice would be issued giving date and details.

The Order of the Temple was conferred upon

Companion Walter N. Brown
" John H. Clark
" Walter B. Hopkinson

Commandery closed

Attest:
Harry W. Bayley
Recorder.

Newburyport, Mass Dec. 25. 1912

A special Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No 3. Knights Templars was convened at the Asylum at 11.30 oclock this forenoon for Christmas Observance.

Present	Em. Sir	Henry W. Little,	E. C.
	"	Joseph N. Dummer,	G.
	"	Samuel L. Porter,	C. G.
	"	James H. Johnston,	J. W.
	Em "	Moses Brown,	P.
	"	Edward E. Hacken,	T.
	"	Harry W. Bayley,	R.
	"	Charles A. Stockman,	St. B.
	"	Clarence Danforth,	Sw. B.
	"	Albert K. Cheney	W.
	"	Charles F. Pillsbury,	Third Guard
	"	Fred W. Piper,	Second "
	"	Alfred W. Kimball,	First "
	"	Oscar H. Nelson,	Asst. "
	"	John P. Litch,	" "
	"	Matthew H. McKinney,	" "
	"	Arthur P. Marden,	M. D.
	"	Frank H. Rundlett,	S.
	"	Irving S. Butler.	Adj.

also Em Sir W. R. Johnson
" " Green Davis
" " C. F. Worthen
" " B. J. Warton
" " G. E. Collins
" " B. J. Young
" " M. B. Noyes

and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery

A. J. Anderson,
P. H. Bollman,
L. B. Cheney,
C. E. Davis,
W. G. Dodge,
J. W. Gurney,
F. M. Hoyt,
G. A. Johnson,
G. W. Marquand,
H. J. Noyes,
W. W. Pillsbury,
A. F. Swain,
C. S. Spaulding,
J. W. Talbot,
R. H. Wilde,

J. W. Buswell,
H. A. Besse,
C. W. Cooke,
G. A. Dow,
H. E. Dodge,
Wm. Gillis,
W. B. Hopkinson,
Moody Kimball,
E. N. Lambert,
A. N. Parry,
Isaac Poor,
F. M. Swett,
L. W. Sargent,
J. B. G. Welch,
J. H. Wheeler,

G. L. Bean,
J. M. Bailey,
H. E. Carlisle,
S. J. Dauphinee,
S. J. Ford,
C. E. Houghton,
C. E. Ives,
F. L. Lattime,
M. B. Merrill,
G. E. Philbrook,
C. L. Perkins,
C. F. Silloway,
G. H. Stevens,
A. A. H. Whelpley,

Visitors

Sir Kt. Henry P. Curtis, DeMolay Comdy. Washington, N. J.
" " L. A. Eldridge Bay State " Brockton, Mass

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars.

Promptly at High Noon the Eminent Commander caused to be read by the Recorder the sentiment offered to the Grand Master William Bromwell Melish and the his response and a toast was drank.

The Generalissimo offered the following.
"To the R. E. Grand Commander, Frank L. Nagle:- Christmas and New Year Greetings from the Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery, and that your administration will be attended with the highest degree of success."

The Captain General proposed the following.
"To all Valliant and Magnanimous Knights Templar wherever dispersed:- May the blessings of Heaven attend them."

The following was offered by the Eminent Commander.
"To the Memory of our deceased Sir Knights."

A beautiful bouquet of flowers was received from Sir Knight Henry W. Clark and a telegram of thanks was sent to him.

Telegrams were also sent to
Grand Master William Bromwell Melish, Cincinnati
Grand Commander Frank L. Nagle Newtonville
Grand Inspector, Harry G. Pollard Lowell,
Dep. Grand Commander, William W. Johnson, Worcester.

Toasts were drunk to Mount Horeb Commandery Concord N.H.
Pilgrim " Laconia "
Hugh de Payens " Keene "
St. Paul " Dover "
Bradford " Biddeford Me.

and to Sir Knight Henry P. Curtis of De Molay Commandery of Washington N. J. who at 94 years of age was present and participated with us in our Christmas Observance.

Christmas Greetings were received from.

St. Johns	Commandery	No. 1	Providence,	R. I.
Washington	"	" 4	Newport	"
Worcester	"	" 5	Worcester,	Mass
Springfield	"	" 6	Springfield	"
De Molay	"	" 7	Boston	"
Pilgrim	"	" 9	Lowell,	"
Palestine	"	" 10	Chelsea,	"
Milford	"	" 11	Milford	"
Bethany	"	" 17	Lawrence	"
St. Omer	"	" 21	Dorchester	"
Berkshire	"	" 22	Pittsfield	"
Wm. Parkman	"	" 28	E. Boston	"
Bristol	"	" 29	Attleboro	"
Northampton	"	" 30	Northampton	"
Gethsemane	"	" 35	Newtonville	"

Olivet	Commandery	No. 36	Lynn	Mass
St. George	"	" 44	Beverly	"
Orange	"	" 45	Orange	"
Ivanhoe	"	" 46	Gardner	"
St Johns	"	" 3	Bangor	Me
Bradford	"	" 4	Biddeford	"
St. Alban	"	" 8	Portland	"
De Witt Clinton	"		Portsmouth	N.H.
Mt. Horeb	"		Concord	"
Hugh de Payens	"		Keene	"
Pilgrim	"		Laconia	"
St. Paul	"		Dover	"

Grand Master	William Bromwell Melish.
Grand Capt. of the Guard	Harry G. Pollard.
Grand Recorder	Benjamin W. Rowell
Sr. Kt.	Henry W. Clark
"	Herbert E. Lombard.

and after spending a social hour the Commandery was closed at 12.45 P.M.

Attest:
Harry W. Bayley
Recorder.

Newburyport, Mass., Jan 16. 1913

A stated Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No. 3. K. T. was convened at the Asylum this evening.

Present	Em. Sir	Henry W. Little	E. C.
	"	Joseph N. Dummer	G.
	"	Samuel L. Porter	C. G.
	"	James H. Johnston	J. W.
	Em. "	Moses Brown	P.
	"	Harry W. Bayley	R.
	"	Charles A. Stockman	St. B.
	"	Clarence Danforth	Sw. B.
	"	Albert K. Cheney	W.
	"	Charles F. Pillsbury	Third Guard
	"	Fred W. Piper	Second "
	"	Alfred W. Kimball	First "
	"	Oscar H. Nelson	Asst. "
	"	M. H. McKinney	" "
	"	Frank H. Rundlett	S.
	"	Irving S. Butler	Adj. acting J. W.

also	Em Sir	Orrin J. Gurney
	" "	Charles F. Worthen
	" "	Benjamin J. Warton
	" "	William G. Fisher
	" "	Benjamin Pearson.

and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery

J. E. Baumgartner, A. H. Berry,
H. E. Dodge, Wm. Gillie,
G. A. Johnson, D. A. Lunt,
G. E. Philbrook, J. W. Talbot,
W. C. Patterson

Visitor

Sir Kt. Hiram Rathburn, St. Johns Commandery Willimantic, Conn.

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars

The records of the previous Stated and Special Conclaves were read and declared approved.

The following communication was received

Grand Commandery of
Knights Templars
and the Appendant Orders of Mass & R.I.
Office of the Grand Commander
Boston, Dec. 14. 1912

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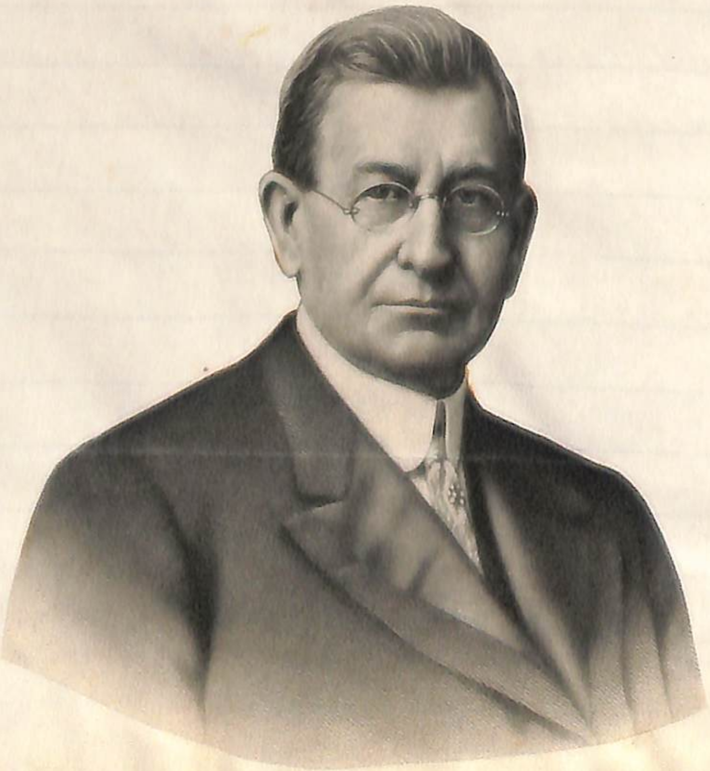
In Memoriam
Right Eminent Sir Lafayette Gilbert Blair
Past Grand Commander
Died December 7. 1912.

To the Officers and Members of the Grand Commandery, and all subordinate Commanderies of the States of Massachusetts and Rhode Island, and to the Fraters of sister Jurisdictions.

Again it is my sorrowful duty to officially announce the death of an honored frater and friend, which occurred at his home at Watertown, Mass., Saturday, December 7, 1912



Another brilliant star has ceased to shine, but its reflection will continue to light up and brighten our way.

Right Eminent Sir Lafayette G. Blair was born May 8, 1849 in Cumberland, Md., the son of Mr. and Mrs. David G. Blair. He died at his home, 50 Bailey Road, Watertown, Mass., at 11.15 A.M. December 7, being the third Past Grand Commander of the Grand Commandery, K.T., to be taken by death within a year. Mr. Blair was a resident of the town for many years, having served the city as one of its selectmen. He was a distinguished citizen and a prominent member of the bar.

His father came from Waynesboro, Pa., and his mother was Miss Mary J. Pierpont of Baltimore, formerly of Virginia. There were five other children, Miss Mary P. Blair of Cambridge, Charles W. of Eureka, Ark., Wesley G. of St Louis, Francis S. of Kansas City, Mo., and David I., who is also living in the West.

The parents moved to Kansas City when Mr. Blair was in his youth and he was brought up in that city. He came East in 1870 and entered Phillips Exeter Academy, graduating in 1874. He was of the Harvard class of 1878. and from that university he received the degree of A.B. He studied law in Boston University, also in the office of Hale & Walcott, and was admitted to the bar in 1881. He has practiced in Boston ever since and had an office in the Tremont Building. He was married June 30. 1887, to Miss Emma Augusta Coon, in Cambridge, Rev. Dr. Peabody officiating. Mrs. Blair is living, with two sons, Pierpont, born June 7. 1888, a graduate of Harvard '11 and Floyd Gilbert, born March 30, 1891, a Harvard senior.

In Freemasonry Mr. Blair had attained the 32d Degree Scottish Rite and had become prominent in the craft, capitular and templar bodies. He was enrolled in Mt. Olivet Lodge of Cambridge, November 21. 1878, and six years later was chosen its presiding officer. He declined election for a second term. He was high priest of Cambridge R.A. Chapter in 1889 and 1890, and was made a life member the latter year. He joined that body June 9. 1882.

From March 1, 1886, when he was knighted in Joseph Warren Commandery, K. T., of Roxbury, his rise in templary was steady. He was designated a Captain of the Guard in 1886 and 1887, and was Warden the two following years. He dimitted to become a charter member of Cambridge Commandery September 1, 1890 and was its first Generalissimo. In 1891 and 1892 he was the Eminent Commander. His first office in the Grand Commandery was that of Grand Lecturer, to which he was appointed in 1903, and he was successively Sword Bearer and Standard Bearer. His first election was to the position of Grand Junior Warden, and he passed upward year by year, until he was chosen Grand Commander at the annual conclave in 1911, retiring last October. Of the Massachusetts and Rhode Island Association of Knight Templar Commanders he was vice-president in 1899 and president the next two years.

The Scottish Rite bodies to which he gave allegiance were Boston Lafayette Lodge of Perfection, fourteenth degree; Giles F. Yates Council, P. of J., sixteenth degree; Mt. Olivet Chapter of Rose Croix, eighteenth degree; Massachusetts Consistory, thirty-second degree, the latter since Apr. 28. 1905.

He joined Aleppo Temple of the Mystic Shrine, December 3, 1903. Putnam Lodge, A. F. & A. M., South Shore Commandery and Quincy Commandery, K. T., conferred honory membership upon him. As Grand Commander he signed the charter of the latter organization.

Mr. Blair was a member of the Boston and Middlesex Bar Association, the Boston Club and Harvard Club and an associate member of Edward W. Kinsley Post, G. A. R.

In keeping with the expressed wish of Past Grand Commander Lafayette G. Blair his funeral was conducted under the direction of the Grand Commandery, K. T. The services took place at the family home Wednesday Dec. 11. and were very largely attended by members of the various Masonic organizations with which Mr Blair had been affiliated.

There were in addition, men prominent in professional and business circles, all of whom were intimately acquainted with him, for he was one of the prominent members of the Boston bar. Among the residents of his town Mr. Blair was held in the highest esteem, as was attested by the large number of neighbors who assembled to pay their last tribute of respect.

The parlor where the body reposed was massed with flowers of various designs, the most noticeable being those emblematic of the branches of Masonry to which Mr. Blair had given allegiance. These were from the Grand Commandery, Cambridge, Gethsemane, Joseph Warren, Quincy and South Shore Commanderies, K. T., Mt. Olivet Lodge of which he was a Past Master; Cambridge R. A. Chapter, over which he had presided; Pequossette Masonic Lodge B. H. L., Masonic Club, Aleppo Temple of the Mystic Shrine, Harvard Chapter of Acacia and Class of '78. Harvard University.

A special conclave of the Grand Commandery was held in Masonic Temple, Boston, and the Grand Officers arrived in Watertown shortly before the time set for the funeral. These included: R∴ E∴ Frank L. Nagle, G. C. V∴ E∴ William W. Johnson D. G. C., Walter F. Medding, G. G.; Frederick I. Dana, G. C. G.; Samuel D. Sherwood, G. S. W.; R∴ E∴ E. Bentley Young (P. G. C.) G. T., Benjamin W. Rowell, G. R.; Rev. Dr. R. Perry Bush, G. P. Asa C. Jewett, G. W.; Harry G. Pollard, G. C. of G.; Isaac Chase, Frank T. Pearce, Albert W. Fay and Charles R. Hunt, G. L., R∴ E∴ William H. H. Soule, Chas. I. Litchfield, and Walter W. Burnham, P. G. C.; Charles E. Pierce, P. G. S. B., who was Grand Warden for Grand Commander Blair.

Rev. George C. Mills, pastor of the First Unitarian Church conducted a brief service. The burial service of the Knights Templar followed, with Grand Commander Nagle presiding.

At the funeral were delegations from Cambridge Commandery, Joseph Warren, Gethsemane, St. Omer, Quincy, South Shore, De Molay and Palestine.

The remains were conveyed to Mt. Auburn Cemetery for cremation. The honorary bearers were Grand Commander Nagle, P. G. C. Burnham, G. C. G. Dana, and G. W. Jewett.

As a tribute of respect to our beloved Frater it is hereby ordered that the banners, jewels and altars of this Grand Commandery be draped in mourning for ninety days and that mourning be worn on the jewels, banners and altar of each subordinate Commandery for a like period.

This Order will be read at the head of the lines in each body at the next regular Conclave after its receipt and be spread in full upon the records.

Frank L. Nagle
Grand Commander.

Seal

Attest:
B. W. Rowell
Grand Recorder.

The Eminent Commander read the following letter.

Boston, Dec. 24. 1912.

Mr Henry W. Little
Newburyport, Mass.

Dear & Em. Sir:-

Owing to the extreme conditions existing I am getting up a fund to present to the widow of Past Right Eminent Sir Blair.

This is a very worthy cause, which I can vouch for. He had so many friends and always at their call for whatever service he could do, we feel that every Commandery would like to share in this privilege. I wish you would therefore bring it to the attention of your Commandery at once, the sooner the better, and send me a check for whatever part your Commandery may feel like doing.

This is not an order, it is simply an invitation or a privilege to participate in a good work.

Very courteously yours
Frank L. Nagle
Grand Commander.

The Eminent Commander stated that as the request for an immediate reply and action had come from the Grand Commander he had authorized the Treasurer to send his check for $25.

The following application for the Orders of Knighthood was received.

Application Albert Stephen Twombly.

Companion Albert Stephen Twombly,
Born in Dover N. H. April 2. 1880.
Residence, Newburyport, Mass.
Occupation Asst. Trainmaster – Boston.
Raised in St. Johns Lodge
Exalted in King Cyrus Chapter.
Recommended by Em Sir W. J. Webster, Benj. Pearson and Sir J. L. Morrill and referred to a committee consisting of Em Sirs B. J. Warton, C. F. Worthen and Sir I. S. Butler.

C. D. Montgomery Rejected ✓

The majority of the committee appointed on the application of Companion Charles D. Montgomery, reported, a ballot was ordered and he was declared rejected.

Ralph W. Nelson elected. ✓

The majority of the committee appointed on the application of Companion Ralph W. Nelson, reported, a ballot was ordered and he was declared elected.

Alexander G. Perkins elected ✓

The committee to whom was referred the application of Companion Alexander G. Perkins, reported, a ballot was ordered and he was declared elected.

Charles W. Perry ✓ elected

The committee to whom was referred the application of Companion Charles W. Perry Jr, reported, a ballot was ordered and he was declared elected.

Albert H. Reynolds ✓ elected

The committee to whom was referred the application of Companion Albert H. Reynolds, reported, a ballot was ordered and he was declared elected.

Fred W. ✓ Chandler elected

The committee to whom was referred the application of Companion Fred W. Chandler, reported, a ballot was ordered and he was declared elected.

Scottish evening.

The Eminent Commander stated that the arrangements for the "Scottish" evening were about completed, that it would be held in Griffin Hall Friday evening, Jan 30, and that notice would be sent to the members.

He also stated that the Council and Sir Kts. of the Committee on Ladies Night in Boston had not forgotten the matter, but after the Scottish evening had been carried out, would go ahead on the arrangements for the Ladies Night.

Red Cross.

Business in the Commandery was suspended and a Council of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross opened and the Order was conferred upon
Companion Ralph W. Nelson,
" Alexander G. Perkins,
" Charles W. Perry, Jr.
" Albert H. Reynolds,
" Fred W. Chandler

Business in the Council of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross was closed and business in the Commandery resumed.

Commandery closed.

Attest:
Harry W. Bayley
Recorder.

Newburyport, Mass., Feb. 20. 1913

A stated Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No 3, Knights Templars was convened at the Asylum this evening, [illegible]

Present	Em. Sir	Henry W. Little,	E. C.
	"	Joseph N. Dummer,	G.
	"	Samuel L. Porter,	C. G.
	Em. "	Moses Brown,	P.
	"	Harry W. Bayley,	R.
	"	Charles A. Stockman,	St. B.
	"	Clarence Danforth,	Sw. B.
	"	Albert K. Cheney,	W.
	"	Charles F. Pillsbury	Third Guard
	"	Fred W. Piper	Second "
	"	Fred W. Kimball	First "
	"	John T. Litch	Asst. "
	"	M. H. McKinney	" "
	"	Arthur P. Marden	M. D.
	"	Frank H. Rundlett	S.
	"	Irving S. Butler	Adj. Acting S. W.

also Em Sir. William R. Johnson
" " Gerry Davis
" " Benjamin J. Warton
" " George E. Collins
" " Benjamin Pearson

and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery

J. M. Bailey,
G. H. Dow,
D. A. Lunt,
R. J. McKinney,
J. W. Talbot,
W. N. Brown,
C. E. Davis,
H. E. Lombard,
G. E. Philbrook,
W. C. Patterson,
H. E. Dodge,
F. S. Collins,
M. B. Merrill,
W. J. Riley,
A. P. Wilson

Visitors

Sir Kt. D. T. Horne,	St. George Commandery,	Beverly, Mass
" " W. R. Butter,	Jos. Warren, "	Boston "
" " H. Rathburn,	St Johns "	Willimantic, Conn

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars.

The records of the previous Conclave were read and declared approved

The following applications were received for the Order of Knighthood

Companion Peter S. Gulazian,
Application Born in Allepps, Turkey, Feb. 27. 1879
Raised in St. Marks Lodge,
Peter S Exalted " King Cyrus Chapter
Gulazian Member of St. Marks Lodge & King Cyrus Chapter
Residence Newburyport, Mass
Occupation, Contractor - Dodge Bros.
Has been rejected by Newburyport Commandery.
Recommended by Sirs Walter B. Rogers, E. W. Eaton and Em Sirs William G. Fisher & Henry W. Little and referred to a committee consisting of Em Sir B. J. Warton, and Sirs J. M. Bailey & G. A. Johnson.

Companion Thomas J. Maddock.
Application Born in Scituate, Mass. Aug. 23. 1858
Thomas J Raised in St. Johns Lodge
Maddock Exalted in King Cyrus Chapter.
Member of St. Johns Lodge & King Cyrus Chapter.
Residence Newburyport Mass
Occupation Captain Newburyport Life Saving Station.
Has been rejected by Newburyport Commandery
Recommended by Em Sir Henry W. Little, and Sirs H. W. Bayley & A. P. Marum and referred to a committee consisting of Em. Sir Geo W. Davis and Sirs Clarence Danforth & Alfred W. Kimball

Albert S Twombley elected. The committee to whom was referred the application of Companion Albert Stephen Twombley, reported, a ballot was ordered and he was declared elected to receive the Orders of Knighthood as conferred by Newburyport Commandery

Voted that the Recorder express our sympathy to Sir Kt. Daniel H. Fowle on account of the serious illness of his son Sir Kt. J. Eugene Fowle

The subject of the proposed "Ladies Night" in Boston was brought up and discussed in an informal way and on motion of Em. Sir Collins it was voted that the matter be indefinitely posponed and the committee discharged

The key to the picture of King Solomon's Temple which had been presented to the Commandery by Mary E. Reynolds Nov. 18. 1909, was received from that lady and placed with the records in the Archives.

The Order of the Temple was conferred upon
Companions Fred W. Chandler
Temple. " Charles W. Perry Jr.
" Albert H. Reynolds.

Commandery closed

Attest:
Harry W. Bayley
Recorder

In Memoriam

George H. Pearson

Born March 9, 1852

Saint John's Lodge

Entered Apprentice	July 23, 1874
Fellowcraft	August 27, 1874
Master Mason	September 24, 1874

King Cyrus Chapter

Mark Master	April 14. 1876
Past Master	April 14. 1876
Most Excellent Master	May 11. 1876
Royal Arch Mason	June 8. 1876

Newburyport Commandery

Red Cross	June 19. 1879
Temple	September 25, 1879
Malta	March 18, 1880

Died January 28, 1913

Newburyport, Mass. Mar. 20. 1913

A stated Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No 3. Knights Templars was convened at the Asylum this evening at 4.oo o'clock

Present Em.	Sir Henry W. Little	E.C.
	" Joseph N. Dummer	G.
	" James H. Johnston	J.W.
Em.	" Moses Brown	P.
	" Edward E. Hicken	T.
	" Harry W. Bayley	R.
	" Charles A. Stockman	St. B.
	" Clarence Danforth	Sw. B.
	" Albert K. Cheney	W.
	" Charles F. Pillsbury	Third Guard
	" Fred W. Piper	Second "
	" Alfred W. Kimball	First "
	" Oscar H. Nelson	Asst "
	" M. H. McKinney	" "
	" Arthur P. Marden	M.D.
	" Frank H. Rundlett	S.
	" Irving S. Butler	Adj. Acting S.W.

also Em Sir Geru Davis
" " Orrin J. Gurney
" " Benjamin J. Warton
" " William G. Fisher
" " George E. Collins
" " Benjamin H. Young.
" " Charles F. Worthen
" " Benjamin Pearson
" " Moody B. Noyes.

and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery

W. E. Aubin, H. C. Austin, R. G. Adams,
J. M. Bailey, A. H. Berry, A. J. Anderson,
H. C. Bates, W. F. Cook, F. P. Currier,
L. B. Cheney, J. W. Clark, H. E. Carlisle,
J. H. Clark, F. S. Collins, C. R. Calkins,
G. Cammett, H. W. Clark, W. N. Brown,
C. E. Davis, S. J. Dauphinee, G. H. Dow,
H. E. Dodge, J. T. Elliott, E. W. Eaton,
W. Ford, S. J. Ford, D. A. French,
J. W. Gurney, W. Gillis, F. W. Chandler,
F. M. Hoyt, C. E. Houghton, A. S. Jewell,
M. Kimball, W. F. Lunt, D. A. Lunt,
F. O. Morse, M. B. Merrill, J. J. Mason,
D. Morrison, G. W. Manser, H. J. Noyes,
C. W. Perry, Jr, G. E. Philbrook, C. L. Perkins,
W. W. Pillsbury, A. H. Reynolds, W. J. Riley,
A. F. Swain, F. M. Swett, L. W. Sargent,
C. S. Spaulding, J. W. Talbot, A. P. Wilson,
J. H. Wheeler

Visitors

G. B. Patten,	Haverhill Commandery,	Haverhill, Mass
A. D. Hale	" "	" "
D. B. H. Powers	Olivet "	Lynn, "
H. Williams	Sutton "	New Bedford "
H. Rathburn	St. Johns "	Willimantic Conn.
F. C. Parchert,	Lake Erie "	Buffalo, N.Y.

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars

The records of the previous Conclave were read and declared approved

The following communications were received and filed

Grand Commandery
of Knights Templars and the Appendant Orders
of Massachusetts and Rhode Island.

Genl. Orders #5 Boston, Mass. March. 15. 1913.
Series 1912-13.

To the Eminent Commanders, Officers and Sir Knights
of the Jurisdiction of Massachusetts and Rhode Island.

Sir Knights: Believing that the Templar bodies would materially advance the cause of Templarism by public recognition of our Divine Master on the day set apart by the Christian world as the day of His resurrection, I therefore, by virtue of the power in me vested as Grand Commander of the Grand Commandery Knights Templars of Massachusetts and Rhode Island, do hereby grant this, my dispensation, authorizing the several Commanderies throughout this jurisdiction to meet in their respective Asylums on Easter Sunday March 23, 1913, for the purpose of attending divine service in such places of worship as they may choose, in full Templar uniform, with or without banners, but without music.

Due and proper return will be made to me of the action had under this authority within thirty days of its acceptance, and this dispensation filed in the Archives of the Commandery and spread in full upon its records.

This order will be read at the head of each Commandery at the next regular Conclave after its receipt.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templars of Massachusetts and Rhode Island, this 15th day of March, A.D. 1913, A.O. 795.

Frank L. Nagle
Grand Commander

Seal Attest:
B.W. Rowell
Grand Recorder

A letter was received from Pilgrim Commandery K.T., Laconia, N.H. acknowledging with thanks the resolutions sent by Newburyport Commandery in appreciation of the courtesies extended to this Commandery St John's Day 1912.

A letter of thanks was received from Mrs. Daniel H. Fowle for our letter of sympathy on account of the illness of Sir Kt. J. Eugene Fowle.

The following petitions for the Orders of Knighthood were received.

Application
Wilber
Abbott.

Companion Wilber Abbott. Newburyport. Ice dealer
born in No. Berwick, Maine, May 8. 1866.
Raised in St. Marks Lodge
Exalted in King Cyrus Chapter
Member of St. Marks Lodge & King Cyrus Chapter.
Recommended by Sirs H.W. Bayley, C.A. Stockman & A.P. Marden and referred to Em. Sir Moody B. Noyes, and Sirs O.H. Nelson & A.K. Cheney.

Application
Horace T.
Ames.

Companion Horace T. Ames, Amesbury, Coal Dealer
born in Salisbury, Mass, Nov. 22. 1872
Raised in Warren Lodge,
Exalted in Trinity Chapter.
Member of Warren Lodge & Trinity Chapter
Recommended by Sirs H.C. Austin, F.M. Swett & Em. Sir G.E. Collins and referred to Em Sir C.F. Worthen, and Sirs W.F. Cook and Wm. Ford

Application
Fred E
Page

Companion Fred E. Page, Newbury, Shoe Mfgr.
born in Newburyport. April 1. 1861
Raised in St. John's Lodge
Exalted in King Cyrus Chapter.
Member of St. John's Lodge & King Cyrus Chapter
Recommended by Sirs H.W. Bayley, C.A. Stockman & A.P. Marden and referred to Em Sir. Benj. Pearson and Sirs I.S. Butler & J.H. Johnston

Peter S. Gulazian elected — The majority of the committee to whom was referred the application of Comp. Peter S. Gulazian reported, a ballot was ordered and he was declared elected to receive the Orders of Knighthood as conferred by Newburyport Commandery

Thomas J. Maddock elected — The majority of the committee to whom was referred the application of Comp. Thomas J. Maddock reported, a ballot was ordered and he was declared elected to receive the Orders of Knighthood as conferred by Newburyport Commandery

The Order of the Temple was conferred upon
Companion Ralph W. Nelson

A recess was declared at this time and the Eminent Commander invited all to the banquet room where dinner was enjoyed, it having been prepared by Caterer Schlehuber of Lynn in his usual excellent manner.

Upon returning to the Asylum business in the Commandery was resumed and Em. Sir Horace S. Bacon as Grand Warder entered and announced Em:. Sir:. Harry G. Pollard, Grand Captain of the Guard of the Grand Commandery of Massachusetts and Rhode Island, as being present in an adjoining apartment, who was here for the purpose of making an official inspection of the Commandery.

The Eminent Commander informed the Grand Warder that he recognized the authority of the Inspecting Officer and appointed all Past Commanders of Newburyport Commandery who were present as a committee to wait on him.

The committee under escort of the Guards repaired to the ante-room and conducted the Grand Officer to the asylum and Em Sir Pollard was introduced

to the Eminent Commander by Sir Kt. Generalissimo Joseph N. Dimmer.

The Eminent Commander extended to the Inspecting Officer the compliments of Newburyport Commandery and welcomed him to its Asylum and resigned the head of the Commandery to him.

Before assuming that position Em. Sir Pollard acknowledged the fraternal and Knightly greetings which had been extended to him and introduced the following suite.

Em	Sir	Walter F. Medding,	Gr. Genl.	of	Gr. Commandery of Mass & R.I.		
"	"	Isaac Chase	" Lecturer	"	"	"	"
"	"	James S. Blake	" "	"	"	"	"
"	"	Arthur D. Prince	Em. Com.	"	Pilgrim Com.		#9
"	"	George O. Sheldon	" "	"	Hugh de Payne	"	20
	"	Albert B. Hale	Genl.	"	Haverhill	"	14
	"	Percy W. Witherell	"	"	Hugh de Payne	"	20
	"	Joseph T. Paul	Capt. Genl	"	Boston	"	2
Em	"	Alvin F. Pease	P. Com.	"	Beauseant	"	41
	"	Harry A. Thompson	S. W.	"	Pilgrim	"	9
	"	Warren O. Winsor		"	"	"	9
Em	"	Horace S. Bacon	P. Com	"	"	"	9

as Grand Warder

Em Sir Little then conducted Em Sir Pollard to the head of the Commandery and the Inspecting officer examined the charter, records, by-laws and the following rituals

R. C., T., + Malta # 5253
" " 2843, 2844, 4152
P 427

The official count was as follows

Members of Newburyport Commandery in uniform	74
" " " " not " "	11
Visitors exclusive of suite	4
Suite	12
	101

The Order of the Temple was conferred on Companion Alexander G. Perkins

Remarks were made by Em Sirs Pollard, Medding, Blake, & Chase all expressing their pleasure on again visiting Newburyport Commandery.

Em Sir Little then presented to Em. Sir Pollard a Newburyport Commandery badge, suitably inscribed as a memento of his visit, which was received and acknowledged with thanks.

Commandery closed
Attest:
Harry W. Bayley
Recorder.

Newburyport, Mass. April 17. 1913

A stated Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No 3. Knights Templar was convened at the Asylum this evening.

Present	Em. Sir	Henry W. Little.	E.C.
	"	Joseph N. Dummer	G.
	"	Samuel L. Porter	C.G.
	"	James H. Johnston	J.W.
	"	Harry W. Bayley	R.
	"	Charles A. Stockman,	St. B.
	"	Clarence Danforth	Sw. B.
	"	Albert K. Cheney	W.
	"	Charles F. Pillsbury	Third Guard
	"	Fred W. Piper	Second "
	"	Alfred W. Kimball	First "
	"	John T. Litch	Asst. "
	"	M. H. McKinney	" "
	"	Arthur P. Marden	M.D.
	"	Frank H. Rundlett	Sen.
	"	Irving S. Butler	Adj. Acting S.W.

also Em Sir Green Davis
" " George E. Collins
" " Benjamin H. Young
" " Benjamin Pearson.

and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery.

H. C. Bates J. M. Bailey, J. H. Clark
C. E. Davis, G. H. Dow, J. T. Elliott,
Wm. Ford, S. J. Ford, S. D. Flanders.
J. L. Jacoby, F. O. Morse, R. W. Nelson,
E. M. Osgood, G. E. Philbrook, A. H. Reynolds,
F. M. Swett, J. W. Talbot, R. H. Wilde
A. A. H. Whelpley

Visitors

Sir Kt. Hiram Rathburn, St. Johns Commandery, Willimantic, Conn.

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templar.

The records of the previous Conclave were read and declared approved

A letter was received from Leonard W. Ross, Eminent Commander of Boston Commandery No 2 extending an invitation to Newburyport Commandery or any of its members to participate with them in the celebration of the thirty second Triennial Conclave to be held at Denver, Colorado in August 1913.

Voted that the invitation be acknowled and the thanks of Newburyport Commandery be extended for the courtesy.

A letter was received from Hugh de Payens Commandery Keene, N.H. acknowledging with thanks the resolutions sent by this Commandery expressing to them our appreciation of the courtesies extended to this Commandery St. John's Day 1911.

A letter of thanks was received from Sir Knight James E. Fowle for interest in and flowers sent him during his recent illness.

The following application for the Orders of Knighthood was received.

Application
Charles
Edward
Todd

Companion Charles Edward Todd, Amesbury, Letter Carrier.
Born in Boston, Mass Aug 19. 1870
Raised in Warren Lodge, Amesbury. Mass
Exalted in Trinity Chapter " "
Member of Warren Lodge and Trinity Chapter.
Recommended by Sir S. L. Porter, S. D. Flanders, A. A. H. Whelpley and E. M. Osgood
and referred to Em Sir Geo. E. Collins and Sir Wm. Ford and F. W. Piper

Horace T. Ames elected.

The majority of the committee to whom was referred the application of Companion Horace T. Ames, reported, a ballot was ordered and he was declared elected to receive the Orders of Knighthood as conferred by Newburyport Commandery

Wilbur Abbott elected.

The majority of the committee to whom was referred the application of Companion Wilbur Abbott, reported, a ballot was ordered and he was declared elected to receive the Orders of Knighthood as conferred by Newburyport Commandery

Fred E Page elected

The committee to whom was referred the application of Companion Fred E. Page, reported, a ballot was ordered and he was declared elected to receive the Orders of Knighthood as conferred by Newburyport Commandery

St. John's Day.

On motion it was unanimously voted that we cellbrate St. John's Day and that a committee be appointed with full powers to make all necessary arrangements.

Red Cross

Business in the Commandery was suspended and Council of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross opened and the Order was conferred upon

Companion Albert S. Twombly
" Thomas J. Maddock
" Peter S. Gulazian

~~Business in~~ The Council of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross was closed, and business in the Commandery resumed

Commandery closed

Attest:
Harry W. Bayley
Recorder

Newburyport, Mass, April 24. 1913

A Special Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No. 3. Knights Templars was convened at the Asylum this evening.

Present Em Sir Henry W. Little E. C.
" Joseph N. Dummer G.
" Samuel L. Porter C. G.
" James H. Johnston J. W.
Em. " Moses Brown P.
" Harry W. Bayley R.
" Clarence Danforth Sw. B.
" Albert K. Cheney W.
" Alfred W. Kimball First Guard
" John T. Litch Asst "
" M. H. McKinney " "
" Arthur P. Marden M. D.
" Frank H. Rundlett Sen.
" Irving S. Butler Adj. Acting S.W.

Also Em Sir Gerw Davis

and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery

S. J. Dauphinee
William Ford
R. J. McKinney
E. M. Osgood
C. L. Perkins
A. H. Reynolds
J. W. Talbot

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars.

Business in the Commandery was suspended and a Council of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross opened, and the Order was conferred upon

Red Cross Comp. Wilber Abbott
" Horace T. Ames
" Fred E. Page

Companions Maddock & Gulazian were present during the conferring of the Order.

The Council of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross was closed and business in the Commandery resumed.

Commandery closed

Attest:
Harry W. Bayley
Recorder.

Newburyport, Mass May 15. 1913

A stated Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No 3 Knights Templars was convened at the Asylum this evening.

Present Em. Sir Henry W. Little, E.C.
" Joseph N. Dummer, G.
" Samuel L. Porter, C.G.
" James H. Johnston, J.W.
Em. " Moses Brown P.
" Harry W. Bayley R.
" Charles A. Stockman St. B.
" Clarence Danforth Sw. B.
" Albert K. Cheney W.
" Charles F. Pillsbury Third Guard
" Fred W. Piper Second "
" Alfred W. Kimball First "
" Oscar H. Nelson Asst "
" M. H. McKinney " "
" Arthur P. Marden M.D.
" Frank H. Rundlett S.
" Irving S. Butler Adj Acting S.W.

also Em Sir Green Davis
" " Benjamin J. Warton

and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery.
W. E. Aubin, A. H. Berry, J. E. Baumgartner,
F. S. Collins, C.W. Cooke, J. H. Clark,
L. B. Cheney, G. H. Dow, J. T. Elliott,
Wm. Ford, D. A. Lunt, M. B. Merrill,
R. W. Nelson, C. L. Perkins, F. Richardson
A. H. Reynolds, F. M. Swett. J. W. Talbot.

Visitor

Sir Kt. Hiram Rathbun, St Johns Commandery, Willimantic, Conn.
" " A. V. Bartlett Coeur de Lion " Charlestown. Mass
" " Frank Barker, De Mo Lay " Boston "

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars.

The records of the previous Conclave were read and declared approved.

A dispensation was received from the Grand Commander authorizing commanderies to parade with banners and music within the jurisdiction during the period of June 21st to 28th inclusive for the purpose of celebrating the anniversary of St. Johns Day.

A card of thanks was received from Mrs Frank S. Fowler and Mr. Amos S. Fowler for courtesies extended by this Commandery in providing an escort for the body of the late Sir Knight Frank S. Fowler to Willimantic, Conn.

C. E. Todd
Rejected ✓

The committee to whom was referred the application of Companion Charles Edward Todd, reported, a ballot was ordered and he was declared rejected

The Eminent Commander reported that the Council had been to Dover Point and Rye Beach in relation for the St. Johns Day Pilgrimage and that arrangements could be made with "Tilton Hall" for a shore dinner @ $1.50 per plate and for a regular dinner at the "Farragut" for the same price, that the accommodations were equally good at both places and recommended going to Dover Point.

The plans for the day included a parade in town a lunch at the Asylum, leaving Newburyport about 11 oclock, having a band accompany us, close the Commandery, lay aside regalia and go in automobiles if pleasant, if not, by train. and that the assessment would be from five to six dollars according to the number participating.

On motion of Sir Kt. Pillsbury it was voted that the recommendation of the Council to go to Dover Point be adopted and if arrangements can be made to go in automobiles, if not by train and that all necessary arrangements be left with council.

The Eminent Commander appointed the following Sir Knights to act with the Council in making the necessary arrangements.

Transportation & Tickets.
Em Sir George E. Collins
" " Moody B. Noyes
" Fred W. Piper
" John H. Clark
" John G. Litch
" Arthur P. Marden
" Samuel J. Ford
" Charles A. Stockman.

Sports.
Sir James H. Johnston
" Arthur G. Quimby.

Finance.
Sir Edward E. Hicken Treas
" Harry W. Bayley Recorder

Music
Sir Irving S. Butler.

The Eminent Commander reported that Em. Sir William G. Fisher who is ill at the Hospital is much worse today

On motion of Sir Kt. Butler it was unanimously voted by a rising vote that the Recorder send a letter to Em. Sir Fisher expressing our regrets on account of his illness and the hope for a speedy and complete recovery.

Voted that the thanks of the Commandery be tendered Sir Kt. Albert K. Cheney for the Malta Cross presented by him for use in conferring the Order of Malta.

The Order of the Temple was conferred upon
Temple. Companion Thomas J. Maddock
" Albert S. Twambly
" Peter S. Gulazian

Commandery closed

Attest: Harry W. Bayley
Recorder.

Newburyport, Mass. May 22. 1913

A special Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No 3 Knights Templars was convened at the Asylum this evening.

Present	Em Sir	Henry W. Little	E. C.
	"	Joseph N. Dummer	G.
	"	Samuel L. Porter	C. G.
	"	James H. Johnston	J. W.
	Em "	Moses Brown	P.
	"	Edward E. Hickin	T.
	"	Harry W. Bayley	R.
	"	Charles A. Stockman	St. B.
	"	Clarence Danforth	Sw. B.
	"	Albert K. Cheney	W.
	"	Charles F. Pillsbury	Third Guard
	"	Fred W. Piper	Second "
	"	Alfred W. Kimball	First "
	"	Oscar H. Nelson	Asst "
	"	John T. Litch	" "
	"	M. H. McKinney	" "
	"	Arthur P. Marden	M. D.
	"	Frank H. Rundlett	Sen.
	"	Irving S. Butler	Adj. Acting S.W.

also Em Sir Geo. E. Collins

and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery
H. C. Austin, L. B. Cheney, J. H. Clark
P. S. Gulazian, G. H. Dow, C. E. Houghton
G. A. Johnson, F. O. Morse, T. J. Maddock
H. E. Lombard, R. J. McKinney, R. W. Nelson,
A. G. Perkins, A. H. Reynolds,

Visitors

Sir Kt.	Hiram Rathbun,	St. Johns Com.	Willimantic, Conn.
" "	E. G. Moody	Cambridge "	Cambridge Mass
" "	L. M. Clark	Cyprus "	Hyde Park "
E. " "	W. P. Hood	St. George "	Beverly "

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars.

The Em. Commander stated that this Conclave had been called for the purpose of conferring the Order of the Temple, and the Order was conferred upon

Companion Wilbur Abbott
Temple. " Horace T. Ames
" Fred E. Page

the Eminent Commander being assisted in the work by Em Sir W. P. Hood, P. Commander of St. George Commandery of Beverly

Commandery closed.

Attest:
Harry W. Bayley
Recorder.

Newburyport. Mass June 19. 1913

A stated Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No. 3. Knights Templars was convened at the Asylum this evening

Present Em. Sir Henry W. Little, E. C.
" Joseph N. Dummer, G.
" Samuel L. Porter, C. G.
" James H. Johnston, J. W.
Em. " Moses Brown, P.
" Edward E. Hicken, T.
" Harry W. Bayley, R.
" Charles A. Stockman, St. B.
" Clarence Danforth, Sw. B.
" Albert K. Cheney, W.
" Charles F. Pillsbury, Third Guard
" Fred W. Piper Second "
" Oscar H. Nelson Asst. "
" M. H. McKinney " "
" Arthur P. Marden M. D.
" Frank H. Rundlett S.
" Irving S. Butler Adj. Acting S. W.

also Em. Sir Benjamin J. Warton
" " George E. Collins
" " Moody B. Noyes

and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery

Wilbur Abbott. H. T. Ames, W. N. Brown,
H. C. Bates, J. W. Clark, C. W. Cooke,
F. W. Chandler, W. G. Dodge, G. H. Dow,
L. B. Cheney, Wm. Ford, P. Gulazian,
C. E. Houghton, T. J. Maddock, R. J. McKinney,
R. W. Nelson, Isaac Poor, C. L. Perkins,
F. W. Page, A. G. Perkins, A. H. Reynolds,
C. R. Scott, A. F. Swain, F. M. Swett
J. W. Talbot, A. S. Twambley.

Visitor
Sir Kt. Hiram Rathburn, St. John Commandery, Willimantic, Conn.

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars.

The records of the previous Conclave were read and declared approved.

A letter was received from the Grand Commander stating that he had received permission from the Grand Commander of New Hampshire for Newburyport Commandery to proceed to Dover Point N. H. as a part of its pilgrimage

A letter was received from Sir Kt. Henry P. Curtis thanking the Commandery for kind remembrance of his 89th birthday.

An invitation was received from St. George Commandery, Beverly, to participate with them in their outing at Ipswich Bluffs July 16.

Voted that the Recorder acknowledge the invitation with thanks.

The Eminent Commander stated that all arrangements had been made for St. John's Day, and it was his desire for a good attendance and assured the Sir Knights of a pleasant time.

Voted that the next Regular Conclave be held the third Thursday in September next, and that the conclaves of July and August be omitted.

Malta

The Order of Malta was conferred upon Sir Kts Wilbur Abbott, Horace T. Ames, Walter N. Brown, Fred W. Chandler, Peter S. Gulazian, Thomas J. Maddock, Ralph W. Nelson, Fred E. Page, Charles W. Perry Jr, Alexander G. Perkins, Albert H. Reynolds, Albert S. Twambley, John H. Clark.

No further business appearing the Commandery was closed.

Attest:
Harry W. Bayley
Recorder.

Newburyport. Mass. June 24. 1913

A special Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No. 3. Knights Templar was convened at the Asylum at 9 o'clock this morning for the purpose of celebrating St John's Day

Present.	Em Sir. Henry W. Little,	E. C.	
	" Joseph N. Dummer.	G.	
	" Samuel L. Porter,	C. G.	
	" James H. Johnston,	J. W.	
	" Edward E. Hicken,	T.	
	" Harry W. Bayley,	R.	
	" Charles A. Stockman,	St. B.	
	" Clarence Danforth,	Sw. B.	
	" Charles F. Pillsbury.	Third Guard	
	" Fred W. Piper,	Second "	
	" Oscar H. Nelson,	Asst. "	
	" John T. Litch,	" "	
	" M. H. McKinney,	" "	
	" Arthur P. Marden,	M. D.	
	" Irving S. Butler,	Adj.	Acting S. W.
	" Frank H. Rundlett,	Sen.	

also Em. Sir. William R. Johnson,
" " Green Davis,
" " Orrin J. Gurney,
" " George E. Collins,
" " Benjamin Pearson,
" " Moody B. Noyes.

and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery

H. C. Austin, A. J. Anderson, W. E. Aubin,
Wilbur Abbott, H. T. Ames, H. A. Besse,
H. C. Bates, G. L. Bean, A. H. Berry,
W. F. Cook, F. S. Collins, John Currier,
J. W. Clark, J. H. Clark. F. W. Chandler.
S. J. Dauphinee, E. F. Dempsey. C. E. Davis,

G. H. Dow,
J. T. Elliott,
S. J. Ford,
P. Gulazian,
C. E. Ives,
E. N. Lambert,
M. B. Merrill.
R. J. McKinney,
R. W. Nelson,
C. W. Perry, Jr.
B. A. Rogers,
L. W. Sargent,
C. F. Silloway,
A. S. Twambly,
A. A. H. Whelpley,
W. G. Dodge.
D. H. Fowle,
G. A. Fogg,
C. E. Houghton,
M. Kimball,
D. A. Lunt,
F. O. Morse,
H. J. Noyes,
C. L. Perkins,
A. G. Perkins
A. H. Reynolds,
A. F. Swain,
J. W. Talbot,
J. B. G. Welch,
A. P. Wilson
E. W. Eaton,
J. E. Fowle,
J. W. Gurney
F. M. Hoyt.
F. L. Lattime,
J. J. Mason,
T. J. Maddock,
F. G. Newton,
W. W. Pillsbury,
F. E. Page.
F. M. Swett,
C. R. Scott,
G. R. Tarbox,
J. H. Walker,

Visitors

Sir Kt. F. B. Keene, De Molay Commandery, Boston, Mass
" " Hiram Rathbun, St Johns " Willimantic, Conn.

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars.

The Eminent Commander stated that this special Conclave had been called for the purpose of celebrating St. Johns Day by a pilgrimage to Dover Point, N. H.

The Commandery proceeded to the street where the lines were formed and escorted by the Amesbury Cadet Band, Robert Stark, Leader over the following route,

Down State, through Pleasant, up Winter, down High, on arriving at the residence of Em. Sir Fisher the Commandery halted and Em. Sir Little presented Em. Sir Fisher a bouquet of roses and the band played "Consolation" as on account of illness he was unable to accompany the Commandery.

Upon resuming the march the Commandery proceeded down High, and Federal, up Prospect, down State up Pleasant to the B+M. Station where a special train was in waiting, leaving Newburyport at 10.10 oclock arriving at Dover Point at 10.50

Regalia was laid aside and the day was quietly spent at "Tilton Hall" where a fine shore dinner was served.

During the day a number of the Sir Knights availed themselves of a delightful sail on the Piscataqua River to Great Bay.

The band was ever ready to play and favored us with good music continually.

After spending a pleasant day the train was boarded and on arriving home proceeded to the Asylum and the Commandery closed.

Attest:
Harry W. Bayley
Recorder.

Newburyport, Mass. Sept. 18. 1913

The Annual Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No 3, K. T. was held at the Asylum this evening.

Present.	Em. Sir Henry W. Little,	E. C.
	" Joseph N. Dummer	G.
	" Samuel L. Porter	C. G.
	" James H. Johnston	J. W.
	" Edward E. Hicken	T.
	" Harry W. Bayley	R.
	" Charles A. Stockman,	St. B.
	" Clarence Danforth,	Sw. B.
	" Albert K. Cheney	W.
	" Charles F. Pillsbury	Third Guard
	" Fred W. Piper	Second "
	" Oscar H. Nelson	Asst. "
	" John T. Litch	" "
	" Arthur P. Marden	M. D.
	" Frank H. Rundlett	S.
	" Irving S. Butler	Adj. Acting S. W.
also	Em. Sir Benjamin J. Warton	
	" " Benjamin Pearson	

and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery.

Wilbur Abbott, W. E. Aubin, J. W. Clark,
H. E. Dodge, W. G. Dodge, L. B. Cheney,
William Ford, S. J. Ford, P. Gulezian,
William Gillis, G. A. Johnson, J. L. Jacoby.
Moody Kimball, R. W. Nelson, C. L. Perkins.
C. W. Perry, Jr. G. E. Philbrook, A. H. Reynolds,
J. W. Talbot, J. P. G. Welch, A. A. H. Whelpley.

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars,

The records of the Stated Conclave of June 19, and special Conclave of June 24, were read and declared approved.

The following notice was received.

Grand Commandery of
Knights Templars
of Massachusetts & Rhode Island.
Office of the Grand Commander.

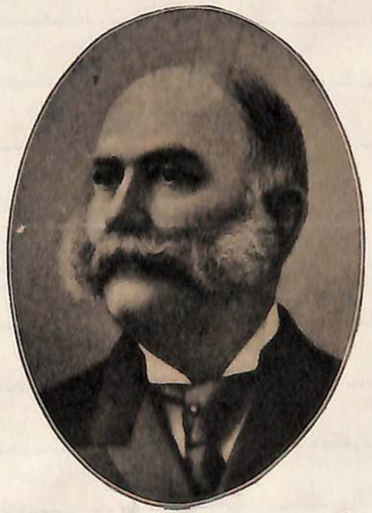
In Memoriam.

Right Eminent Sir George Edward Hilton
Past Grand Commander
Died July 14, 1913

General Orders
Series 1912-1913; No 7 Boston, Mass Aug. 31. 1913

To the Officers, and Members of the Grand Commandery, and all subordinate Commanderies of the States of Massachusetts and Rhode Island, and to the Fraters of sister Jurisdictions

It is with profound sorrow I officially announce the death of an honored frater and friend, which occurred, at his home at Lynn, Mass, Monday, July 14. 1913.



Right Eminent Sir George Edward Hilton, Past Grand Commander of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templars of Massachusetts and Rhode Island.

Died at his home, 133 Summer Street, Lynn, Mass., Monday, July 14, 1913, at 8.30 o'clock P. M.

He was seventy two years of age.

He was a modest, courteous gentleman, tender, kind, sympathetic and enjoyed a host of friends.

His period of illness extended over the greater part of three years, originating in Bright's disease and an injured foot, from which blood poisoning was believed to have developed, and taken by the attending physician as a factor in hastening his death.

Right Eminent Sir Hilton was born in the house in which he died, while it was located on Market Street, near the corner of Summer. He was the son of John and Sally (Clark) Hilton, both natives of Lynn. He lived on Market Street until the homestead was moved to its present location in 1875.

He was educated in the public schools of Lynn, graduating from both grammar and high schools.

He enlisted in Company I of the Eighth Regiment, Sept. 15, 1862 and was detailed for service at Newburn, N.C., where he remained the greater part of his enlistment. While the battle of Gettysburg was being fought his Company was sent to Maryland Heights, passing through Baltimore. He became connected with the Army of the Potomac two days after the battle of Gettysburg. He returned from the war in 1863 and was mustered out of service as a corporal.

Following his millitary career he went to Chicago, Ill, and went into the retail shoe business for himself. In 1885, during the big fire in Chicago his store was burned and he lost everything. He then returned to Lynn and never entered into active business again, spending his entire time in the care of his real estate, a large portion of which he inherited from his mother, father and sister. During this period he went abroad, remaining one year.

Masonic career: He was raised in Mount Carmel Lodge of Lynn; exalted in Chicago Chapter of Royal Arch Masons; Knighted in Olivet Commandery, No 36 Knights Templars of Lynn, serving in the various offices of the Commandery from Junior Warden to Eminent Commander. In the Grand Commandery he served as Grand Warder in 1893; Grand Sword Bearer in 1894; Grand Standard Bearer in 1895; Grand Junior Warden in 1896; Grand Senior Warden in 1897; Grand Captain General in 1898; Grand Generalissimo in 1899; Deputy Grand Commander in 1900, and Right Eminent Grand Commander in 1901.

The funeral services were held at his late residence on Thursday, July 17, 1913 and by his request were conducted by Post 5, Grand Army of the Republic. It was largely attended, among those present being representatives from the different Masonic bodies with which he was affiliated.

As a tribute of respect to our beloved Frater it is hereby ordered that the banners, jewels and altars of this Grand Commandery be draped in mourning for thirty days, and that mourning be worn on the jewels, banners and altars of each subordinate Commandery for a like period.

This Order will be read at the head of the lines in each body at the next regular Conclave after its receipt and be spread in full upon the records.

Frank L. Nagle
Grand Commander

(Seal) attest:
B.W. Rowell
Grand Recorder.

The following petitions for the Orders of Knighthood were received.

Application
David
Henry
Elkins

Comp. David Henry Elkins, Amesbury, Purchasing Agent.
Born in Milton, Mass, Feb. 18. 1862.
Raised in Warren Lodge, Amesbury. Mass
Exalted in Trinity Chapter, " "
Member of Warren Lodge, and Trinity Chapter.
Recommended by Sirs. F. M. Swett, S. L. Porter, B. J. Warton & Benj. Pearson and referred to Em. Sirs C. F. Worthen, B. H. Young and Sir Wm Ford

Comp. Charles Dempster Montgomery, Newburyport, Teacher
Application Born in Lebanon, Me. Jan. 4. 1876
Charles Raised in North Star Lodge.
Dempster Exalted in King Cyrus Chapter, Newburyport,
Montgomery Member of North Star Lodge & King Cyrus Chapter.
Has once been rejected by Newburyport Commandery
Recommend by Sirs G. A. Johnson, Henry W. Little, W. F. Houston.
& Joseph N. Dummer. and referred to Em Sir Benj. Pearson &
Germ Davis and Sir F. W. Piper

Comp. William E. Morrill, Amesbury, Motorman.
Application Born in Amesbury, Mass. July 24. 1875.
William Raised in Warren Lodge, Amesbury
E Exalted in Trinity Chapter, "
Morrill Member of Warren Lodge & Trinity Chapter.
Recommended by Sirs F. M. Swett, Guy L. Bean, Wm. Ford &
Arthur A. H. Whelpley and referred to Em Sir Geo. E. Collins
& Sirs James W. Clark & Saml. L. Porter.

Voted that a page of the records be set apart to the memory of the late Sir Knight Philip H. Blumpey.

The Em. Commander reported that the dues of Sir Kt. George W. Lattime to Sept. 30. 1913 be remitted.

The Treasurer rendered the following report.

To the Eminent Commander & Members of Newburyport Com.

The Treasurer submits the following report for the year ending Sept. 18. 1913

Receipts.

Cash on hand at beginning of year	$51.66	
Received of H. W. Bayley, Rec.	1933.	
" " H. W. Little, Sundries	1.	
Total Receipts		$1985.66

Expenditure

Per Capita Tax.	$99.25	
Recorder's Salary.	50.	
Printing	105.10	
Rent, Telephone & Gas.	119.97	
F. H. Rundlett, Tyling	27.54	
Contribution to Mrs. Blair Fund	25.	
Catering & Cigars	215.06	
Flowers	16.50	
Deposited in Five Cents Sav. Bank	100.	
Trustees Permanent Fund	70.	
St. John's Day Expenses	540.53	
Miscellaneous Small Accounts	230. 11	$1599.06
Balance in First Natl. Bank		386.60
On deposit Five Cents Sav. Bank		899.38
Total in hands of Treasurer.		$1285.98

Respectfully. submitted.
Edward E. Hicken, Treas.

Voted that the report of the Treasurer be accepted

The Recorder rendered the following report.

To the Eminent Commander, Officers & Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery.

I beg leave to submit the following as the report of the Recorder for the year now ending.

Membership.

Membership Sept 19. 1912-	Active	214	
	Honorary	4	218
Admitted	Active		14
Total			232
Died during the year	Active	2	
Dimitted " " "	"	1	3
Membership Sept 18. 1913	Active	225	
	Honorary	4	229.

Receipts

For Orders Conferred	$650.	
" Back Dues	233.	
" Dues of 1913	514.	
" St John's Day	516.	
" Commandery Badges	20.	
Paid to Treasurer as per vouchers		$1933.

Condition of Dues.

Dues unpaid Sept 19. 1912	$435.	
" charged to " 30. 1913	858	
Total		$1293.
Dues remitted by vote of Commandery	$32.	
" unpaid at time of death	5.	
" paid during year.	747.	784
" unpaid Sept. 18, 1913.		$509

Classification of Dues

6	Sir Knights owe	$1 each	$6.	
3		2	6.	
1		3	3.	
44		4	176.	
2		5	10.	
1		6	6.	
30		8	240.	
4		12	48.	
1		14	14.	$509.

38 Sir Knights owe five or more quarters dues amounting to $318.

Respectfully submitted
Harry W. Bayley
Recorder

Voted that the report of the Recorder be accepted.

The Em. Commander reported that the Council had examined the books of the Treasurer and Recorder and found them correct.

The Recorder reported the names of those Sir Knights who owed five or more quarters dues and the list was referred to the Council.

The Trustees of the Permanent Fund reported $660.95 in the Five Cents Savings Bank.

The motion of Sir Kt. F. W. Piper that $200. be placed in the Permanent Fund was amended by Sir Kt. H. E. Dodge that the amount be $300, the amendment was accepted by Sir Kt. Piper and it was unanimously voted to place $300 in the Permanent Fund.

This being the time for election of officers the E. Com. appointed Em. Sirs Warton, Pearson and Worthen as a committee to receive, sort and count ballots.

The Em. Commander called for ballots with the following result.

Eminent Commander.

Joseph N. Dummer	had	35
Scattering		2

and Sir Joseph N. Dummer was declared elected.

Generalissimo

Hon. S. L. Porter	had	10
S. L. Porter	"	20
Sam Porter	"	36.

and Sir Samuel L. Porter was declared elected.

Captain General.

Irving S. Butler	had	24
James H. Johnston	"	13

and Sir Irving S. Butler was declared elected.

Senior Warden.

James H. Johnston	had	27
Charles F. Pillsbury	"	3

and Sir James H. Johnston was declared elected

Junior Warden.

Albert K. Cheney had 23
Scattering . 4

and Sir Albert K. Cheney was declared elected

Treasurer

On motion of Em. Sir Collins it was unanimously voted that Em. Sir Warton cast one ballot bearing the name of Edward E. Hicken for Treasurer, the ballot was cast and Sir Hicken was declared elected.

Recorder.

On motion of Sir Charles A. Stockman it was unanimously voted that the Treasurer cast one ballot bearing the name of Harry W. Bayley for Recorder, the ballot was cast and Sir Bayley was declared elected.

Trustee Permanent Fund

On motion of Em. Sir Collins it was voted that the Treasurer cast one ballot bearing the name of Em. Sir Moses Brown as Trustee of the Permanent Fund for three years.

On motion of Em. Sir Collins it was voted that the Council procure a Past Em. Commander's Jewel for the retiring Eminent Commander.

Voted that the Recorder's salary for the ensuing year be the same as last year, viz $50.

Commandery closed

Attest:
Harry W. Bayley
Recorder.

In Memoriam

Philip H. Blumpey

Born June 18, 1855

Saint Mark's Lodge A.F.&A.M.

Entered Apprentice	May 12. 1884
Fellowcraft	June 9. 1884
Master Mason	July 14. 1884.

King Cyrus Chapter R. A. M.

Mark Master	Nov. 13. 1889
Past Master	Nov. 13. 1889
Most Excellent Master	Dec. 12. 1889
Royal Arch Mason	Dec. 18. 1889

Newburyport Commandery, K. T.

Red Cross	Jan. 16. 1890
Temple	Feb. 4. 1890
Malta	Mar. 20. 1890

Died Sept. 8. 1913

Newburyport, Mass. Oct. 16. 1913

A stated Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No 3. K. T. was convened at the Asylum this evening.

Present	Em	Sir Henry W. Little,	E. C.
		" Joseph N. Dummer;	G.
		" Samuel L. Porter	C. G.
		" James H. Johnston	J. W.
	Em.	" Moses Brown	P.
		" Edward E. Hicken	T.
		" Harry W. Bayley	R.
		" Clarence Danforth	Sw. B.
		" Albert K. Cheney	W.
		" Charles F. Pillsbury	Third Guard
		" Fred W. Piper	Second "
		" Alfred W. Kimball	First "
		" Oscar H. Nelson	Asst "
		" M. H. McKinney	" "
		" Arthur P. Marden	M. D.
		" Frank H. Rundlett	S.
		" Irving S. Butler	Adj. Acting S. W.

also Em Sir Yerm Davis
" " B. J. Warton
" " B. H. Young
" " Benj. Pearson
" " Moody B. Noyes

and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery.
Wilbur Abbott, W. E. Aubin, J. M. Bailey,
A. H. Berry, J. H. Clark, Wm Ford,
S. J. Ford, J. W. Gurney, P. Gulezian,
C. E. Houghton, W. P. Houston, G. A. Johnson,
Moody Kimball, D. A. Lunt, T. J. Maddock,
F. O. Morse, R. W. Nelson, C. W. Perry Jr,
F. E. Page, E. M. Osgood, A. H. Reynolds,
J. W. Talbot, J. B. G. Welch, A. A. H. Whelpley.

Visitors

Sir Kt. Rev. A. Francis Walch, Palestine Com. #5 St. Johnsbury, Vt.
" " C. E. Farrer, Trinity " #7 Augusta, Me.

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars.

The records of the previous Conclave were read and declared approved.

A letter of thanks was received from Mrs. Agnes L. Bumpus for flowers and sympathy sent her in the loss of her husband Sir Knight Philip H. Bumpus.

Dimits
H. H. Wentworth
G. W. Lattime

Requests for dimits were received from Sir Knights Harry H. Wentworth and George W. Lattime and they being square on the books their requests were granted.

D. H. Elkins
elected.

The committee to whom was referred the application of Companion David Henry Elkins, reported, a ballot was ordered and he was declared elected to receive the Orders of Knighthood as conferred by Newburyport Commandery.

C. D. Montgomery
elected.

The committee to whom was referred the application of Companion Charles Dempster Montgomery, reported, a ballot was ordered and he was declared elected to receive the Orders of Knighthood as conferred by Newburyport Commandery

W. E. Morrill
elected.

The committee to whom was referred the application of Companion William E. Morrill, reported, a ballot was ordered and he was declared elected to receive the Orders of Knighthood as conferred by Newburyport Commandery.

This being the time for installation of officers Em. Sir Henry W. Little assisted by Em. Sir Benjamin J. Warton installed Sir Knt. Joseph N. Dummer Eminent Commander, who then made his appointments and the following elective and appointed officers were installed.

Generalissimo, Sir Samuel L. Porter
Capt. General " Irving S. Butler
Senior Warden " James H. Johnston
Junior " " Albert K. Cheney
Prelate Em. " Moses Brown
Treasurer " Edward E. Hicken
Recorder " Harry W. Bayley
Sword Bearer " Clarence Danforth
Warder " Charles F. Pillsbury
Third Guard " Fred W. Piper
Second " " Alfred W. Kimball
First " " Oscar H. Nelson
Asst " " Joseph B. G. Welch
" " " Matthew H. McKinney
" " " Charles W. Perry Jr
Sentinel " Frank H. Rundlett
Musical Director " Arthur P. Marden

and Em. Sir Warton declared the officers of Newburyport Commandery with the exception of Sir Charles A. Stockman Standard Bearer, duly installed and qualified to enter upon their respective duties.

A pleasing part of the program was the presentation by Em. Sir Davis to Em Sir Little a Past Eminent Commanders jewel on behalf of Newburyport Commandery.

The jewel was presented by Em. Sir Davis in a finely worded address expressing the appreciation of the good work done by Em. Sir Little during his two years service as Eminent Commander and the receiver thanked the Commandery and his officers for their support and stated that the gift would ever be prized by him and remind him of two of the pleasantest years of his life.

Commandery closed.

Attest:
Harry W. Bayley
Recorder

Newburyport, Mass. Nov. 20. 1913

A stated Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No 3 K. T. was convened at the Asylum this evening.

Present Em. Sir. Joseph N. Dummer, E. C.
" Samuel L. Porter, G.
" Irving S. Butler C. G.
" James H. Johnston S. W.
" Albert K. Cheney J. W.
Em. " Moses Brown. P.
" Harry W. Bayley R.
" Charles A. Stockman St. B. acting Asst. G.
" Clarence Danforth Sw. B.
" Charles F. Pillsbury W.
" Fred W. Piper Third Guard
" Alfred W. Kimball Second "
" Oscar H. Nelson First "
" Joseph B. G. Welch Asst "
" Matthew H. McKinney " "
" Frank H. Rundlett S.
" Arthur P. Marden M. D.

also Em Sir. George E. Collins
" " Moody B. Noyes
" " Irvin Davis
" " Henry W. Little

and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery.
J. M. Bailey, J. E. Baumgartner, C. W. Cooke,
L. B. Cheney, S. J. Dauphinee, H. E. Dodge,
J. T. Elliott, Wm Ford S. J. Ford
F. W. Chandler, J. W. Gurney, P. Gulezian,
G. A. Johnson, T. L. Lawton, F. E. Page,
G. E. Philbrook, J. W. Talbot, A. A. H. Whelpley
F. M. Swett.

Visitor
Sir A. F. Walsh, Palestine Commandery No 5 St. Johnsbury, Vt.

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars.

The records of the previous Conclave were read and declared approved.

Notice was received of the election of the Grand Commandery officers at the 108th Annual Conclave Oct. 29. 1913

Notice was received of the appointment of Em Sir Isaac Chase Grand Captain of the Guard, as Inspecting Officer of Newburyport Commandery.

The subject of entertaining on St. Johns Day next was brought up and after an informal discussion it was voted that the question of what Commanderies be invited be left with the Council to report later.

The Eminent Commander stated that it would be his desire to have a larger committee and there being no objection he appointed Em. Sirs George E. Collins and Henry W. Little and Sir Kt. Charles F. Pillsbury as members of that committee.

Sir Kt. Wilbur Abbott was reported ill and confined to the house.

Business in the Commandery was suspended and a Council of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross opened.

The Order was conferred upon
Companion David H. Elkins
Red Cross " Charles D. Montgomery
" William E. Morrill

The Council of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross was closed.

Attest.
Harry W. Bayley
Recorder

Newburyport, Mass. Dec. 18. 1913

A stated Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No 3 Knights Templars was convened at the Asylum this evening.

Present	Em.	Sir Joseph N. Dummer,	E. C.
		" Samuel L. Porter,	G.
		" Irving S. Butler,	C. G.
		" James H. Johnston,	S. W.
		" Albert K. Cheney,	J. W.
	Em	" Moses Brown,	P.
		" Harry W. Bayley,	R.
		" Charles A. Stockman,	St. B. acting Asst. Guard
		" Clarence Danforth,	Sw. B.
		" Charles F. Pillsbury,	W.
		" Fred W. Piper,	Third Guard
		" Alfred W. Kimball,	Second "
		" Oscar H. Nelson,	First "
		" Joseph B. G. Welch,	Asst "
		" Matthew H. McKinney,	" "
		" Frank H. Rundlett,	S.
		" Arthur P. Marden,	M. D.

also Em Sir Henry W. Little
and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery

W. E. Aubin, Wilbur Abbott, J. M. Bailey,
J. T. Elliott, William Ford, S. J. Ford,
O. S. Gulezian, C. E. Houghton, G. A. Johnson,
R. J. McKinney, F. E. Page, A. H. Reynolds,
W. J. Riley, F. M. Swett, C. R. Scott,

Visitors

Sir Kt. Hiram Rathburn,	St. Johns Commandery.	Willimantic,	Conn.
" " A. F. Walch,	Palestine " #5	St. Johnsbury,	Vt.
" " C. E. Farrar,	Trinity " #7	Augusta,	Me.
" " D. T. Horne,	St. George " #44	Beverly,	Mass
" " C. E. Lane,	Old Colony " #15	Abington,	"

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars, Rev. Sir Knight Walch offering the opening prayer.

The records of the previous Conclave were read and declared approved

The sentiment prepared by the Committee on Christmas Observance of the Grand Encampment of the United States to the Most Eminent Grand Master, Arthur MacArthur, together with his response was received and read.

The Eminent Commander reported progress for the committee on St. Johns Day stating that the committee were considering three plans

#1 to entertain one Commandery with an assessment of $10.
#2 " " two " " " " 15.
#3 " " three " " " " 25.

that the subject would be still further considered and a report made at the January Conclave, suggesting if three Commanderies were to be entertained that an association be formed, and that those intending to participate contribute $1.00 per week until the sum of $25 had been paid.

The Eminent Commander reported the illness of Sir Knight John W. Talbot at his home in Byfield.

Eminent Sir Little was invited to the head of the Commandery and installed Sir Knight Charles A. Stockman as Standard Bearer.

Rev Sir, Walch extended an invitation to the Commandery to attend divine worship at the Universalist Church, Amesbury, of which he is pastor, on Easter Sunday

On motion of Sir Kt. Stockman the invitation was accepted with thanks.

Temple The Order of the Temple was conferred upon Companions, David, H. Elkins, Chas. D. Montgomery & William E. Morrill Em. Sir Little assisting in the work.

Commandery closed

H. W. Bayley Recorder

Newburyport, Mass, Dec. 25. 1913

A special Conclave of Newburyport Commandery was convened at the Asylum at 11.30 A.M. today for the purpose of observing Christmas.

Present	Em Sir,	Joseph N. Dummer,	E. C.
	"	Samuel L. Porter,	G.
	"	Irving S. Butler,	C. G.
	"	James H. Johnston,	S. W.
	"	Albert K. Cheney,	J. W.
	Em. "	Moses Brown,	P.
	"	Edward E. Hicken,	T.
	"	Harry W. Bayley,	R.
	"	Charles A. Stockman,	St. B.
	"	Clarence Danforth,	Sw. B.
	"	Charles F. Pillsbury,	W.
	"	Alfred W. Kimball.	Second Guard
	"	Oscar H. Nelson	First "
	"	Matthew H. McKinney	Asst "
	"	Charles W. Perry Jr	" "
	"	Frank H. Rundlett,	S.
	"	Arthur P. Marden,	M. D.

also Em Sir. William R. Johnson
" " Green Davis
" " Orrin J. Gurney
" " Charles F. Worthen
" " William G. Fisher
" " George E. Collins
" " Benjamin H. Young
" " Moody B. Noyes
" " Henry W. Little

and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery

A. J. Anderson, W. E. Aubin, H. T. Ames,
J. M. Bailey, H. A. Besse, G. L. Bean,
P. H. Bollman, J. W. Buswell, C. W. Cooke,
C. R. Calkins, H. E. Carlisle, L. D. Cameron,

F. S. Collins,	L. B. Cheney,	F. W. Chandler,
S. J. Dauphinee,	C. E. Davis,	W. G. Dodge,
R. S. Elliott,	J. T. Elliott,	E. A. French,
S. J. Ford,	Wm Gillis,	P. S. Gulezian,
C. E. Houghton,	J. L. Jacoby,	G. A. Johnson,
Moody Kimball,	F. L. Lattime,	J. T. Litch,
T. J. Maddock,	C. D. Montgomery,	R. J. McKinney,
H. J. Noyes,	R. W. Nelson,	E. M. Osgood,
A. N. Parry,	W. W. Pillsbury,	F. E. Page,
G. E. Philbrook,	A. G. Quimby,	A. H. Reynolds,
F. M. Swett,	L. W. Sargent,	A. F. Swain,
J. H. Wheeler,	R. H. Wilde,	A. A. H. Whelpley.

Visitors

Sir Kt. A. F. DeVeber	Boston Commandery #1	Boston, Mass
" " G. B. Patten	Haverhill " #14	Haverhill "
" " A. F. Walch	Palestine " #5	St Johnsbury Vt.

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars.

Promptly at high noon the Eminent Commander read the toast prepared by the Committee on Christmas Observance of the Grand Encampment, to the Most Eminent Grand Master Arthur Mac Arthur, and was participated in by the Sir Knights assembled.

A toast was drank to the Grand Commander Wm. W. Johnson and one to the memory of those who had departed this life and gone on "a little while before"

The Eminent Commander stated that he had visited Sir Knight John W. Talbot since our last Conclave and found him suffering from a complication of incurable diseases, that he had given all of his money, time and best efforts in the care of his wife and the only support of the family came from his step-daughter who worked in one of the factories in this city.

The motion of the Recorder "that the Eminent Commander be authorized to use his discretion in extending any relief he deems necessary to Sir Kt. Talbot" was amended by Em. Sir Little, that in addition to the above "we take up a voluntary subscription at this time for his benefit".

The hat was passed around and in a few moments the sum of $60. was raised and the Eminent Commander stated that he would deliver it to "Uncle John" later in the day.

The subject of entertaining on St Johns Day was informally discussed so that the Committee might get the ideas of those present in order that they might make a more comprehensive report later.

Congratulatory telegrams were sent to
Most Eminent Grand Master, Arthur Mac Arthur,
Right Eminent Grand Commander, William W. Johnson
Grand Captain of the Guard, Isaac Chase, Inspecting Officer

Christmas Greetings were received from

R. E. Grand Commander		William W. Johnson	
St. Johns Commandery	No 1	Providence	R.I.
Washington "	4	Newport	"
Worcester County "	5	Worcester	Mass
Springfield "	6	Springfield	"
DeMolay "	7	Boston	"
Holy Sepulchre "	8	Pawtucket,	R.I.
Pilgrim "	9	Lowell,	Mass
Palestine "	10	Chelsea,	"
Calvary "	13	Providence	R.I.
Old Colony "	15	Abington	Mass
Sutton "	16	New Bedford	"
Bethany "	17	Lawrence	"
Winslow Lewis "	18	Salem	"
Jerusalem "	19	Fitchburg	"
Saint Omer "	21	Dorchester	"
Godfrey De Bouillon "	25	Fall River	"
Joseph Warren "	26	Roxbury	"
Narragansett "	27	Westerly	R.I.

William Parkman	Commandery	No 28	East Boston,	Mass
Northampton	"	30	Northampton	"
South Shore	"	31	East Weymouth	"
Natick	"	33	Natick	"
Coeur de Lion	"	34	Charlestown	"
Athol	"	37	Athol	"
Bay State	"	38	Brockton	"
Cyprus	"	39	Hyde Park	"
St. Paul	"	40	No. Adams	"
Beauseant	"	41	Malden	"
Saint George	"	44	Beverly	"
Orange	"	45	Orange	"
Ivanhoe	"	46	Gardner	"
Quincy	"	47	Quincy	"
De Witt Clinton	"		Portsmouth	N.H.
Mt. Horeb	"		Concord	"
Pilgrim	"		Laconia	"
St. Paul	"		Dover	"
St. Johns	"		Bangor	Me.

Commandery closed.

Attest:
Harry W. Bayley
Recorder

Newburyport, Mass. Jan. 15. 1914

A Stated Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No 3, Knights Templars was convened at the Asylum this evening.

Present	Em. Sir	Joseph N. Dummer	E.C.
	"	Samuel L. Porter	G.
	"	Irving S. Butler	C. G.
	"	Albert H. Cheney	J. W.
	Em "	Moses Brown	P.
	"	Edward E. Hicken	T.
	"	Harry W. Bayley,	R.
	"	Charles F. Pillsbury	W.
	"	Fred W. Piper	Third Guard
	"	Alfred W. Kimball	Second "
	"	Frank H. Rundlett	S.
	"	Arthur P. Marden	M. D.

also Em Sir Ezra Davis
" " William G. Fisher
" " Benjamin Pearson
" " Henry W. Little

and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery
W. F. Coon
S. J. Dauphinee
C. E. Davis
P. S. Gulezian
C. E. Houghton.
Moody Kimball
J. T. Litch
W. F. Lunt.
C. D. Montgomery
H. J. Noyes
F. E. Page.
A. H. Reynolds.

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars Em. Sir Fisher acting as Prelate.

The records of the previous Conclave were read and declared approved.

A letter was received from Arthur MacArthur Grand Master acknowledging the receipt of our telegram sent on Christmas day.

The Eminent Commander reported in the matter of delinquents that a number had paid their indebtedness, some had agreed to do so and the Committee recommended that the dues of Sir Knights John W. Douglass and Frederick O. Morse to Sept 30. 1913 be remitted.

Voted that the report of the Committee be accepted and the recommendations adopted.

Voted that the dues of Sir Knight Antonio Barbosa to Sept. 30. 1913 be remitted

Voted that the Committee on Delinquents be granted further time

The Eminent Commander reported that the Committee on St. Johns Day had considered the matter assigned to them and would recommend that Pilgrim Commandery of Laconia N.H. be invited to be our guests on that day.

Voted that the recommendation of the Committee be adopted and that the same committee prepare a program and report at some future conclave.

Commandery closed

Attest:
Harry W. Bayley
Recorder

Newburyport, Mass., Feb. 19. 1914

A Stated Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No 3. Knights Templars was convened at the Asylum this evening.

Present.	Em. Sir Joseph N. Dummer	E. C.
	" Samuel L. Porter	G.
	" Irving S. Butler	C. G.
	" Albert K. Cheney	J. W.
	" Harry W. Bayley	R.
	" Charles A. Stockman	St. B.
	" Fred W. Piper	Third Guard
	" Oscar H. Nelson	First "
	" M. H. McKinney	Asst. "
	" Frank H. Rundlett	S.
	" Arthur P. Marden	M. D.

also Em Sir George E. Collins
" " Henry W. Little

and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery:
C. D. Montgomery,
F. E. Page
G. E. Philbrook
A. H. Reynolds
A. A. H. Whelpley

Visitor
Sir Kt. A. F. Walch, Palestine Commandery, St Johnsbury, Vt.

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars, Sir Kt. A. F. Walch acting as Prelate.

The records of the previous Conclave were read and declared approved

Letters were received from Em. Sir Charles G. St. Clair Commander and Charles K. Sanborn, Recorder of Pilgrim Commandery, Laconia, N.H. acknowledging and accepting with thanks our invitation to be our guests on St. Johns Day, June 24th next

The following applications for the Orders of Knighthood were received.

Application William M^c^Kay.

Companion William M^c^Kay, Newburyport, Clerk
Born in Newburyport, Sept. 12. 1882
Raised in St. John's Lodge, Newburyport
Exalted in King Cyrus Chapter, "
Member of St. John's Lodge and King Cyrus Chapter.
Recommended by Sir Knights, John T. Litch, H. W. Little and C. A. Stockman and referred to Sir Kts. F. W. Piper, A. H. Reynolds, & O. H. Nelson

Application Harold Spofford Noyes

Companion Harold Spofford Noyes, Newburyport, Treasurer.
Born in Newbury, Oct. 14. 1874
Raised in St John's Lodge, Newburyport
Exalted in King Cyrus Chapter "
Member of St. John's Lodge and King Cyrus Chapter.
Recommended by Em Sirs Benj. Pearson & Moody B. Noyes and Sir Kts. Irvin Besse & John T. Litch and referred to Em Sir Henry W. Little and Sir Kts. F. E. Page & C. A. Stockman

The Eminent Commander reported that the Committee on St John's Day had held a meeting and would recommend that the following program be carried out.

Parade on the arrival of our guests, journey to Hampton Beach by electric cars via Salisbury Beach, sports & lunch at Hampton Beach, return and have dinner by Schlehuber at City Hall and escort our guests to train."

On motion of Em. Sir Collins it was voted that a page of the records be set apart in memory of the late Sir Kt. Geo. W. Osgood.

Voted that the Recorder express to Sir Kt. Hiram Rathburn our regrets on account of his illness

Commandery closed

Attest:

Harry W. Bayley
Recorder

In Memoriam

George W. Osgood

Born Oct. 22. 1833

Warren Lodge, A. F. & A. M.

Entered Apprentice	May 15. 1867
Fellowcraft	Sept. 11. 1867
Master Mason	Oct. 24. 1867

Trinity Chapter R. A. M.

Mark Master	July 10. 1871
Past Master	July 10. 1871
Most Excellent Master	July 10. 1871
Royal Arch Mason	July 31. 1871

Newburyport Commandery K. T.

Red Cross	Mar 16. 1876
Temple	May 16. 1876
Malta	June 15. 1876

Died Feb. 18. 1914.

Newburyport, Mass. Mar. 5. 1914

A special Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No 3, Knights Templars was convened at the Asylum at 2 o'clock this afternoon for the purpose of attending the funeral of Sir Knight Clarence Danforth, Sword Bearer of Newburyport Commandery.

Present	Em. Sir	Joseph N. Dummer	E. C.
	"	Samuel L. Porter	G.
	"	James H. Johnston	S. W.
	Em "	Moses Brown	P.
	"	Charles A. Stockman	S.B. Acting Recorder
	"	Charles F. Pillsbury	W.
	"	Oscar H. Nelson	First Guard
	"	Matthew H. McKinney	Asst "
	"	Frank H. Rundlett	S.
	"	Arthur P. Marden	M.D.

also Em Sir Orrin J. Gurney
" " Benjamin J. Warton
" " William G. Fisher

and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery
Wilbur Abbott
J. M. Bailey
S. J. Dauphinee
P. S. Gulezian
J. T. Litch
H. J. Noyes
F. E. Page
A. G. Perkins
G. E. Philbrook
A. F. Swain.

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars

The lines were formed and the Commandery proceeded to the residence of our late Sir Knight on Winter Street and his remains escorted to

Saint Paul's Episcopal Church where the Episcopal burial service was performed by Rev. Arthur H. Wright, after which the Templar burial service was rendered by Em. Sir Joseph N. Dummer assisted by Em. Sir Moses Brown, Prelate, the responses being given by the assembled Sir Knights.

At the conclusion of the service at the church the lines were again formed and Sir Knights M. H. McKinney, A. G. Perkins, A. P. Marden, S. J. Dauphinee, Wilbur Abbott and A. F. Swain acting as pall bearers, and proceeded to the receiving tomb of Oak Hill Cemetery where all that was mortal of our dear friend and Sir Knight was placed.

The Commandery then returned to the Asylum and the Sir Knights dismissed

Attest:
(signed) Charles A. Stockman
Recorder pro tem.

Newburyport, Mass. Mar. 19. 1914

A stated Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No 3, Knights Templars was convened at the Asylum at 4.00 o'clock this afternoon

Present	Em. Sir	Joseph N. Dummer	E. C.
	"	Samuel L. Porter	G.
	"	Irving S. Butler	C. G.
	"	James H. Johnston	S. W.
	"	Albert H. Cheney	J. W.
	Em "	Moses Brown	P.
	"	Harry W. Bayley	R.
	"	Charles A. Stockman	St. B.
	"	Charles F. Pillsbury	W.
	"	Fred W. Piper	Third Guard
	"	Alfred W. Kimball	Second "
	"	Oscar H. Nelson	First "
	"	Joseph B. G. Welch	Asst "
	"	M. H. McKinney	" "
	"	Charles W. Perry Jr	" "
	"	Frank H. Rundlett	S.
	"	Arthur P. Marden	M. D.

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also Em Sir William R. Johnson
" " Green Davis
" " Orrin J. Gurney
" " Charles F. Worthen
" " Benjamin J. Warton
" " William G. Fisher
" " George E. Collins
" " Benjamin Pearson
" " Moody B. Noyes
" " Henry W. Little.

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and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery.

Wilbur Abbott, H. C. Austin, A. J. Anderson,
W. E. Aubin, A. H. Berry, J. E. Baumgartner,
G. L. Bean, W. N. Brown, L. B. Cheney,
F. W. Chandler, J. W. Clark, C. W. Cooke,
G. Cammett, C. E. Davis, G. H. Dow,
S. J. Dauphinee, E. F. Dempsey, J. T. Elliott,
D. H. Elkins, S. J. Ford, S. D. Flanders.
Wm Ford P. S. Gulezian, J. W. Gurney,
Wm Gillis, J. D. Holland, F. M. Hoyt.
C. E. Houghton, J. L. Jacoby, A. S. Jewell,
G. A. Johnson, M. Kimball, F. L. Lattime,
J. T. Litch, M. B. Merrill, C. D. Montgomery,
T. J. Maddock, J. J. Mason, F. E. Miller,
R. J. McKinney, H. J. Noyes, R. W. Nelson,
F. E. Page, C. L. Perkins, G. E. Philbrook,
A. G. Perkins, A. H. Reynolds, A. F. Swain,
L. W. Sargent, F. M. Swett, A. H. Sawyer,
J. W. Talbot, A. P. Wilson, J. H. Wheeler
C. F. Silloway, D. A. Lunt, W. J. Webster.

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Visitors

Sir Kt.	H. W. Batchelder,	Haverhill	Commandery	Haverhill	Mass
" "	J. R. Wadleigh	"	"	"	"
" "	C. E. Lane	Old Colony	"	Abington	"
" "	G. Kinsman	Winslow Lewis	"	Salem	"
" "	J. F. Howard	St. George	"	Beverly	"
" "	J. R. Morris	"	"	"	"
" "	F. Starkie	"	"	"	"
" "	R. Kimball	"	"	"	"
" "	D. Horne	"	"	"	"
" "	Rideout	"	"	"	"
" "	A. C. Glover	"	"	"	"
" "	H. Williams	Sutton	"	New Bedford	"
" "	W. H. Milliken	Jos. Warren	"	Roxbury	"
" "	T. M. Carter	Boston	"	Boston	"
" "	E. H. Bailey	"	"	"	"
" "	Warren Brown	De Witt Clinton	"	Portsmouth	N. H.
" "	E. G. Cole	"	"	"	"
" "	J. A. MacAdam	"	"	"	"
" "	E. L. Batchelder	"	"	"	"
" "	M. E. Emerson	" (20)	"	"	"

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templar

The records of the Stated Conclave of Feb. 19 and Special Conclave of March 5, were read and declared approved

A letter was received from Sir Kt. F. O. Morse thanking the Commandery for remitting his dues.

A letter was received from the family of our late Frater Sir Knight Clarence Danforth, expressing thanks for kindness shown to him during his illness

Harold S. Noyes elected.

The committee to whom was referred the application of Companion Harold S. Noyes, reported, a ballot was ordered and he was declared elected to receive the Orders of Knighthood as conferred by Newburyport Commandery

William McKay elected

The committee to whom was referred the application of Companion William McKay, reported, a ballot was ordered and he was declared elected to receive the Orders of Knighthood as conferred by Newburyport Commandery.

Application John Elliott.

The following application for the Orders was received:
Companion John Elliott, Newburyport, Undertaker.
Born in Carlisle, England, Nov. 14. 1868.
Raised in St. John's Lodge, Newburyport
Exalted in King Cyrus Chapter, "
Member of St. John's Lodge and King Cyrus Chapter
Recommended and vouched for by Em. Sirs W. G. Fisher & H. W. Little and Sirs F. E. Page & J. L. Jacoby and referred to a committee consisting of Em. Sir. Green Davis and Sirs F. W. Piper & J. H. Johnston.

On motion it was voted that a page of the records be set apart to the memory of the late Sir Knight Clarence Danforth, Sword Bearer of Newburyport Commandery

Red Cross William McKay,

Business in the Commandery was suspended and a Council of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross opened and the Order was conferred upon
Companion William McKay.

Business in the Council was suspended at 5.45 o'clock and resumed in the Commandery and at 6.30 o'clock all proceeded to the banquet hall where dinner was served by Sir Kt. A. Schlehuber,, caterer.

At 8.15 o'clock business in the Commandery was again taken up and at this time Em. Sir Roland O. Lamb, Deputy Grand Warden entered the Asylum and announced the presence of
Eminent Sir Isaac Chase Grand Captain of Guards in an adjoining apartment, who was here for the purpose of making his official inspection.

The Eminent Commander stated that he recognized the authority of the Inspecting Officer and would forthwith wait upon him with a committee and appointed as that committee
Em. Sir William R. Johnson
" " Green Davis
" " Orrin J. Gurney
" " Charles F. Worthen
" " Benjamin J. Warton
" " William G. Fisher
" " George E. Collins
" " Benjamin Pearson
" " Moody P. Noyes
" " Henry W. Little

The committee retired and escorted Em. Sir Chase and suite to the Asylum and the Inspecting Officer was introduced by Sir Saml. L. Porter, Generalissimo to the Eminent Commander who extended cordial greetings to Em. Sir Chase, who acknowledged the greeting and then introduced the members of his suite as follows:-

	Em.	Sir	Roland O. Lamb	D. G. Warden
	"	"	Asa C. Jewett	G. Lecturer
Rt.	"	"	Freeman C. Hersey	P. G. Commander
	"	"	Charles E. Pierce	P. G. St. Bearer
	"	"	H. H. Litchfield	P. G. Warden
	"	"	Fred'k C. Graves	E. C. Boston Commandery
	"	"	Arthur L. Foster	E. C. Jos. Warren "
	"	"	George A. Painter	P. C. " " "
	"	"	George W. Knowlton	P. C. " " "
*		"	Wm. H. Milliken	Surgeon " " "
		"	Frank R. Starkey	C. G. St. George "

The Eminent Commander then escorted to the head of the lines, Em Sir Chase who then proceeded with the inspection.

The official count was as follows:

Members of Newburyport Commandery in uniform	74
" " " " not " "	6
Visitors	17
Suite	12
	109

The working copy of the Charter, Records and By Laws together with

Rituals of Red Cross + Temple # 2843, 2844 + 4152
" " " " " + Malta # 5253
" " Prelate # 427

were duly examined.

The Eminent Commander then resumed his position at the head of the lines.

Harold S Noyes

Red Cross

Business in the Commandery was suspended and a Council of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross opened and the Order was conferred upon Comp. Harold Spofford Noyes during which Sir Kt. Thomas M. Carter of Boston Commandery officiated as Cornetist and Sir Kt. E.H. Bailey of Boston Commandery acted as Organist

The Council was closed and business resumed in the Commandery.

The Eminent Commander spoke very feelingly of the death of Sir Kt. Clarence Danforth, Sword Bearer of Newburyport Commandery and requested the Sir Knights to "uncover" and devote a moment in silent thought of the deceased.

Very interesting remarks were made by Em. Sir. Chase R. Em. Sir Hersey, Em. Sir Graves of Boston Commandery and Em. Sir Asa C Jewett, Grand Lecturer at the conclusion of which the Inspecting Officer and suite were escorted from the Asylum by the Committee thus ending a pleasant evening where new acquaintance and friendships were made and old ones renewed.

Commandery closed

Attest:
Harry W. Bayley
Recorder.

In Memoriam

Sir Knight Clarence Danforth

Born October 2, 1858.

Saint Johns Lodge, A.F.&A.M.

Entered Apprentice	Feb. 5, 1903
Fellowcraft	Mar. 5, 1903
Master Mason	April 3, 1903.

King Cyrus Chapter, R.A.M.

Mark Master Mason	Feb. 11, 1904
Past Master	Feb. 11, 1904
Most Excellent Master	Mar. 31, 1904
Royal Arch Mason	April 14, 1904

Newburyport Commandery No 3

Red Cross	May 26. 1904
Temple	June 16, 1904
Malta	June 16, 1904

Died March 3. 1914

Newburyport, Mass. April. 12. 1914

A special Conclave of Newburyport Commandery was convened at the Asylum at 1.40 oclock this afternoon for the purpose of attending divine service at the First Universalist Church, Amesbury on invitation of Sir Knight A.F. Walch Pastor

Present	Em	Sir Joseph N. Dummer	E. C.
		" Samuel L. Porter	G
		" Irving S. Butler	C. G.
		" James H. Johnston	S. W.
		" Albert K. Cheney	J. W.
	Em	" Moses Brown	P.
		" Edward E. Hicken	T.
		" Harry W. Bayley	R.
		" Charles A. Stockman	St. B.
		" M. H. McKinney	Asst. Guard
		" Frank H. Rundlett	S.
		" Arthur P. Marden,	M. D.
also	Em.	Sir Orrin J. Gurney	
	"	" William G. Fisher	
	"	" George E. Collins	
	"	" Benjamin H. Young.	
	"	" Henry W. Little	

and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery

W. Abbott, A. J. Anderson, H. P. Ames,
H. C. Bates, G. L. Bean, J. E. Blake,
F. W. Chandler, J. W. Clark, H. E. Carlisle,
J. Currier, J. H. Clark, S. J. Dauphinee,
C. E. Davis, G. Cammett, J. P. Elliott,
S. J. Ford, W. Ford, S. P. Flanders,
P. S. Gulezian, W. Gillis, J. W. Gurney,
J. M. Hoyt, G. A. Johnson, C. D. Montgomery,
T. J. Maddock, M. B. Merrill, R. J. McKinney,
H. J. Noyes, R. W. Nelson, E. M. Osgood,
G. E. Philbrook, F. E. Page, A. N. Parry,
A. H. Reynolds, L. W. Sargent, C. R. Scott,
F. M. Scott, A. P. Wilson, A. A. H. Whelpley,

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars.

At 2 o'clock a special electric car was boarded in front of the Asylum and on arriving at Amesbury the Sir Knights repaired to the apartments of Warren Lodge and were joined by the Amesbury Sir Knights.

The lines were formed and the Commandery marched to the First Universalist Church where a very interesting sermon by the pastor Sir Knight Rev. A. Francis Walch was rendered, accompanied by appropriate musical selections.

The Commandery then returned to Warren Lodge apartments where lunch was served and the return to Newburyport was made by special electric.

On arriving at the Asylum at 5.30 P.M. the Commandery was closed

Attest:
Harry W. Bayley
Recorder

Newburyport, Mass, April 16. 1914

A Stated Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No 3. Knights Templars was convened at the Asylum this evening

Present.	Em.	Sir Joseph N. Dummer	E. C.
		" Samuel L. Porter	G.
		" Irving S. Butler	C. G.
		" Albert K. Cheney	J. W.
	Em	" Moses Brown	P.
		" Harry W. Bayley	R.
		" Charles A. Stockman	St. B.
		" Charles F. Pillsbury	W.
		" Fred W. Piper	Third Guard
		" Alfred W. Kimball	Second "
		" Oscar H. Nelson	First "
		" Joseph B. G. Welch	Asst. "
		" Matthew H. McKinney	" "
		" Frank H. Rundlett	S.
		" Arthur P. Marden	M. D.

and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery

J. E. Baumgartner,
L. B. Cheney,
William Gillis,
C. E. Houghton,
Peter Gulezian,
F. E. Page,
G. H. Philbrook,
G. W. Worcester.

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars.

The records of the Stated Conclave of March 19 and of the Special Conclave of April 12, were read and declared approved.

The following dispensation was received

Office of the R. E. Grand Commander
400 Main St., Worcester, Mass
April 1. 1914

General Orders No 2 }
Series 1913-1914 }

To the Eminent Commanders, Officers and Sir Knights of the Jurisdiction of Massachusetts and Rhode Island:-

Greeting!

In order that the several Commanderies of this jurisdiction may observe the Anniversary of St. John's Day by a Pilgrimage or Field Day,

I, by virtue of the power in me vested as the Grand Commander of the Grand Commandery of Massachusetts and Rhode Island, hereby grant this, my dispensation, authorizing the Commanderies throughout this jurisdiction to parade within this Jurisdiction in full Templar uniform, with or without banners and music during the period between and including the 20th and 27th days of June 1914, for the purpose of celebrating the anniversary of St. John's Day.

Due and proper return will be made to me of the action had under this authority within thirty days of its acceptance and this dispensation filed in the Archives of the Commandery and spread in full upon its records.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Grand Commandery this first day of April A.D. 1914, A.O. 796

(signed) William W. Johnson
Grand Commander

Seal
Attest:
B. W. Rowell,
Grand Recorder

The Eminent Commander reported for the committee on St. John's Day, recommending that Pilgrim Commandery be received at the station, a short march, to City Hall for lunch, special electric cars to Hampton Beach, where the day will be spent; return to Newburyport, Banquet at City Hall and escort our guests to the train in the early evening

The Committee estimate the cost $15 for each Sir Knight participating and that it would be necessary that 80 turn out to cover expence.

On motion of Sir Knight Piper it was voted that the report be accepted and that the same committee be authorized to make and carry into effect the necessary arrangements.

John Elliott elected. The majority of the Committee to whom was referred the application of Companion John Elliott, reported, a ballot was ordered and he was declared elected to receive the Orders of Knighthood as conferred by Newburyport Commandery

Temple. The Order of the Temple was conferred upon
Companion William McKay
" Harold S. Noyes.

Commandery closed

Attest: Harry W. Bayley
Recorder.

Newburyport, Mass, May 21. 1914

A Stated Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No 3. Knights Templars was convened at the Asylum this evening.

Present	Em. Sir	Joseph N. Dummer	E. C.
	"	Samuel L. Porter	G.
	"	James H. Johnston	S. W.
	"	Albert K. Cheney	J. W.
	Em "	Moses Brown	P.
	"	Harry W. Bayley	R.
	"	Charles A. Stockman	St. B.
	"	Charles F. Pillsbury	W.
	"	Fred W. Piper	Third Guard
	"	Alfred W. Kimball	Second "
	"	Joseph B. G. Welch	Asst "
	"	Matthew H. McKinney	" "
	"	Frank H. Rundlett	S.
	"	Arthur P. Marden	M.D.
also	Em Sir	George E. Collins	
	" "	Henry W. Little.	

and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery

H. T. Ames,
S. J. Ford,
C. D. Montgomery,
F. E. Page,
Wilbur Abbott,
D.A. Lunt,
H. S. Noyes,
Isaac Poor,
J.W. Talbot.
H.C. Bates,
Wm McKay,
E.M. Osgood,
A.H. Reynolds,

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars

The records of the previous Conclave were read and approved.

The Eminent Commander appointed the following Committee on Sports for St. John's Day

Em. Sir W. G. Fisher
" JasH. Johnston
" A. G. Quimby
" M. H. McKinney
" A. H. Reynolds.

Business in the Commandery was suspended, and a Council of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross opened and the Order was conferred upon

Red Cross

Companion John Elliott

The Council of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross was closed and business in the Commandery resumed.

Commandery closed

Attest:
Harry W. Bayley
Recorder

Newburyport, Mass. June 12. 1914

A Special Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No 3, Knights Templars was convened at the Asylum this evening.

Present Em Sir Joseph N. Dummer E. C.
" Samuel L. Porter G.
" Irving S. Butler C. G.
" James H. Johnston S. W.
" Albert K. Cheney J. W.
Em " Moses Brown P.
" Harry W. Bayley R.
" Charles A. Stockman St. B.
" Alfred W. Kimball Second Guard
" Matthew H. McKinney Asst. "
" Frank H. Rundlett S.
" Arthur P. Marden M. D.

also Em. Sir William G. Fisher
" " Henry W. Little.

and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery.
R. W. Nelson, F. E. Page, A. H. Reynolds, J. W. Talbot.

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars.

Temple. The Order of the Temple was conferred upon Companion John Elliott

Commandery closed

Attest:
Harry W. Bayley
Recorder.

Newburyport, Mass. June 18. 1914

A stated Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No 3. K. T. was convened at the Asylum this evening.

Present. Em. Sir Joseph N. Dummer E. C.
" Irving S. Butler C. G.
" Albert K. Cheney J. W.
Em " Moses Brown P.
" Harry W. Bayley R.
" Charles A. Stockman St. B.
" Charles F. Pillsbury W.
" Fred W. Piper Third Guard
" Joseph B. G. Welch Asst "
" Matthew H. McKinney " "
" Frank H. Rundlett S.
" Arthur P. Marden M. D.

also Em Sir Gerry Davis
" " Benjamin J. Warton
" " George E. Collins
" " Henry W. Little

and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery
W. Abbott, J. W. Gurney, John Elliott,
R. J. McKinney, Wm. McKay, C. D. Montgomery,
W. E. Morrill, H. S. Noyes, P. Gulezian,
S. Poor, A. H. Reynolds, J. W. Talbot,
A. A. H. Whelpley,

Opened a Commandery of Knight Templars.

The records of the Conclaves of May 21 and June 12 were read and declared approved

The following application for the Orders of Knighthood was received

Comp. Romie Ernest Eaton,

Application Born in Seabrook, N. H. March 17. 1914
Residence " "
Romie Place of Business Haverhill, Mass
Ernest Occupation - Shoemaker
Eaton Member of St. Marks Lodge & King Cyrus Chapter.
Recommended by Sirs M. H. McKinney, H. W. Bayley,
G. E. Philbrook & C. W. Perry Jr.
and referred to a committee consisting of Em Sir
Geo E. Collins, I. A. French, & H. E. Carlisle.

Voted that a request be made for release of Jurisdiction on Comp. Romie Ernest Eaton.

The Recorder stated that he was one of a committee appointed by St. Johns Lodge to have electric lights installed in these apartments & that St. Johns Lodge desired to know if the Commandery would share the expense of so doing with the Lodge and King Cyrus Chapter.

Voted that Newburyport Commandery will pay its proportionate part of the expense of installing electric lights provided they are put in.

Voted that the next regular conclave be held the 3d Thursday in September.

The Em. Commander made his final report on the St. Johns Day outing and that the arrangements had been completed.

The Order of Malta was conferred upon
Sir Knight Charles D. Montgomery
Malta " " William E. Morrill
" " Harold S. Noyes
" " William McKay
" " John Elliott

Commandery closed

Harry W. Bayley Recorder

Newburyport. Mass. June 24. 1914

A special Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No 3. K. T. was convened at the Asylum at 9.30 A.M. today for the purpose of celebrating St. Johns Day and entertaining Pilgrim Commandery of Laconia, N. H.

Present	Em Sir	Joseph N. Dummer	E. C.
	"	Samuel L. Porter	G.
	"	Irving S. Butler	C. G.
	"	James H. Johnston	S. W.
	"	Albert K. Cheney	J. W.
	"	Edward E. Hecker	T.
	"	Charles A. Stockman	St. B.
	"	Fred W. Piper	Third Guard
	"	Oscar H. Nelson	First "
	"	Matthew H. McKinney	Asst "
	"	Charles W. Perry Jr	" "
	"	Frank H. Rundlett	S.
also	Em Sir	Green Davis	
	" "	Orrin J. Gurney	
	" "	Benjamin J. Warton	
	" "	William G. Fisher	
	" "	George E. Collins	
	" "	Benjamin Pearson	
	" "	Moody B. Noyes	
	" "	Henry W. Little.	

and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery.

H. T. Ames, H. C. Austin, W. Abbott, I. Besse,
J. W. Clark, F. S. Collins, J. Currier, J. H. Clark,
F. W. Chandler, C. E. Davis, W. G. Dodge, E. F. Dempsey,
G. A. Fogg, S. J. Ford, D. H. Fowle, J. W. Gurney,
P. Gulezian, F. M. Hoyt, C. E. Houghton, G. A. Johnson,
M. Kimball, E. N. Lambert, P. J. Lowell, J. T. Litch,
M. B. Merrill, W. E. Morrill, T. J. Maddox, C. D. Montgomery,
D. A. Lunt, R. J. McKinney, W. McKay, R. W. Nelson,
H. J. Noyes, W. H. Noyes, A. N. Parry, I. Proor

G. E. Philbrook, F. E. Page, A. G. Perkins, F. Richardson,
A. H. Reynolds, C. R. Scott, L. W. Sargent, C. F. Silloway,
J. W. Talbot, G. R. Tarbox, A. S. Twambley, A. P. Wilson,
J. H. Walker, J. H. Wheeler, A. A. H. Whelpley.

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars.

The lines were formed and escorted by the Hanson American Band of Rochester, N.H. the Commandery proceeded to the B & M. Station and received our guests, Pilgrim Commandery of Laconia, N.H. Em. Sir. Charles J. St Clair, with ninety Sir Knights and band, who arrived at 10.15 oclock.

A short parade through the principle streets to City Hall where lunch was served.

At 12.15 special electric cars were boarded for Hampton Beach, via Salisbury Beach arriving at 1.15 P.M.

Here the visitors were entertained with a supper of clams, lobsters &c. and a ball game between picked nines from each Commandery resulted in a score of 6 to 2 in favor of Newburyport.

Leaving Hampton Beach at 4.30 P.M. arrived at City Hall, at 5.30 for a banquet under the direction of Sir Andrew Schlehuber, Caterer, Lynn.

The two Commanderies then consolidated and escorted by the consolidated bands paraded to the Station and our guests left by their special train for Laconia expressing their pleasure at the hospitality and good time given them during the day

Commandery closed at 8.45 P.M.

Harry W. Bayley Recorder

Newburyport, Mass., Sept. 17. 1914

The Annual Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No 3. K. T. was convened at the Asylum this evening.

Present Em Sir Joseph N. Dummer E. C.
" Samuel L. Porter G.
" Irving S. Butler C. G.
" Albert K. Cheney J. W.
" Edward E. Hicken T.
" Harry W. Bayley R.
" Charles F. Pillsbury W.
" Fred W. Piper Third Guard
" Alfred W. Kimball Second "
" Oscar H. Nelson First "
" Joseph B. G. Welch Asst. "
" Frank H. Rundlett S.
" Arthur P. Marden M. D.

also Em Sir Gerry Davis
" " George E. Collins
" " Benjamin J. Warton
" " Moody P. Noyes
" " Henry W. Little.

and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery
W. E. Aubin. Wm. Ford, F. W. Chandler,
F. E. Page, C. L. Perkins, J. W. Talbot.

Visitor
Sir. C. E. Lane, Old Colony Commandery, Abington Mass

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars

The records of the Stated Conclave of June 18 and Special Conclave of June 24, were read and declared approved

A letter was received from Em. Sir Charles G. St. Clair Eminent Commander of Pilgrim Commandery of Laconia, N. H., expressing the thanks of Pilgrim Commandery for the hospitality extended to them while the guests of Newburyport Commandery St. John's Day last.

A letter was received from Em. Sir George W. Blinn, Eminent Commander of Winslow Lewis Commandery of Salem, Mass, stating that about 80 members of Essex and Star King Lodges of Salem had been burned out of house and home in the great fire of June 25 and asking for contributions for their relief.

Sir Kt. A. K. Cheney reported that the committee on installing electric lights in these apartments had received bids and for wiring & switches it would cost about $150 to $160 and estimated cost of fixtures about $100 to $125.

Voted that the report be accepted.

The Eminent Commander reported that the books of the Treasurer and Recorder had been examined and found correct.

The Recorder rendered the following report which was accepted.

To the Eminent Commander, Officers and Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery No 3, K. T.

I beg leave to submit the following as the report of the Recorder for the year ending this date:

Membership

Membership Sept. 18. 1913.	Active	225	
	Honorary	4	229.
Admitted	Active		6
Total			235.
Died during the year	Active	2	
Dimitted " " "	"	2	4
Membership Sept 17. 1914	Active	227	
	Honorary	4	231.

Receipts

Orders conferred	$ 300.	
Back dues	357.	
Dues of 1914	527.	
" " 1915	4.	
Commandery Badges	19.50	
St. John's Day 1914	1091.	
Paid to the Treasurer		$ 2298.50

Condition of Dues.

Dues unpaid Sept. 18. 1913	$ 509.	
" charged to " 30, 1914	928.	
" " " " " 1915	4.	
Total		$ 1441.
Dues remitted by vote of Commandery	$ 32.	
" paid during the year	888.	920.
" unpaid Sept. 17. 1914		$ 521

Classification of Dues.

3 Sir Knights	owe		$ 1.	each	$ 3.
1 "	"	"	2.	"	2.
63 "	"	"	4.	"	252.
1 "	"	"	7.	"	7.
16 "	"	"	8.	"	128.
7 "	"	"	12.	"	84.
1 "	"	"	13.	"	13.
2 "	"	"	16.	"	32.
94 "	"	"			521

27 Sir Knights owe five or more quarters dues amounting to $264.

The receipts for dues during the year are the largest ever collected in any year, being but $42. short of one full years dues on the full membership.

Respectfully submitted
Harry W. Bayley
Recorder.

The Recorder reported to the Commandery the names of those Sir Knights who owe five or more quarters dues.

The Treasurer rendered the following report for the year ending Sept. 15. 1914 which was accepted.

Receipts.

Cash on hand beginning of year	$ 386.60	
Received from H.W. Bayley Rec.	1233.50	
Receipts " St John's Day.	1065.	
Total		$ 2685.10

Expenditures

Permanent Fund.	$ 330.	
Per Capita Tax	127.25	
Recorder's Salary	50.	
Postage	69.46	
Flowers	36.31	
H.W. Clark - Jewel	50.	
Rent, Gas + Telephone	163.32	
Printing	110.40	
Catering + Cigars	284.47	
Carriages	27.75	
F.H. Rundlett, Tyling	25.98	
A.P. Marden, Organist	11.	
Special Car, Easter Sunday	10.	
St. John's Day expenses	1197.51	
Miscellaneous	30.20	
Total		$ 2523.65
Balance First Nat'l. Bank		$ 161.45
On deposit Five Cents Savings Bank		899.38
Total		$ 1060.83

Edward E. Hecker Treas.

Eminent Sir Green Davis reported for the Trustees of the Permanent Fund as follows:

Balance Sept. 18. 1913 in Five Cents Sav. Bank	$660.95
Received from Treasurer	330.
" " Interest	31.24
Balance Sept. 17. 1914	$1022.19

The Eminent Commander stated that since our last Conclave, Sir Knight Hiram Rathburn of St. Johns Commandery, Willimantic, Conn, who had been a welcome visitor at our Conclaves and had participated in many of our Pilgrimages, had passed away, that Newburyport Commandery was represented by twelve Sir Knights at his funeral and the Em. Commander had received the thanks of St. Johns Commandery for the courtesies shown our late Frater.

On motion of Em. Sir Warton it was by rising vote, unanimously voted that we set apart a page of our records to the memory of Sir Knight Rathburn

The Eminent Commander appointed Em. Sirs D. J. Warton & H. W. Little and Sir Fred W. Piper as a committee to receive, sort and count ballots and requested the Sir Knights to cast their ballots for
Eminent Commander for the ensuing year.

On motion of Em. Sir Collins it was unanimously voted that the Recorder cast one ballot bearing the name of Em. Sir Joseph N. Dummer for Eminent Commander.

The ballot was cast and Sir Samuel L. Porter Generalissimo declared Em. Sir Dummer elected and he accepted the election with thanks.

Generalissimo

On motion of Em. Sir Little it was unanimously voted that the Recorder cast one ballot bearing the name of Sir Samuel L. Porter for Generalissimo for the ensuing year.

The Recorder attended to the duty and the Em. Com. declared Sir Porter elected and he accepted the office to which he had been elected.

Captain General

On motion of Sir Kt. Porter it was unanimously voted that the Recorder cast one ballot bearing the name of Sir Irving S. Butler for Captain General for the ensuing year.

The ballot was cast and Sir Kt. Butler was declared elected Captain General and he accepted the office.

Senior Warden

The motion of Sir Knight O. H. Nelson, that the Recorder cast one ballot bearing the name of Sir Kt. James H. Johnston for Senior Warden for the ensuing year was objected to and the Eminent Commander called upon the Sir Knights to prepare their ballots for Senior Warden with the following result

First Ballot

Whole number of ballots cast	21
necessary for a choice	11
Sir Fred W. Piper had	1
" James H. Johnston "	10
" Albert K. Cheney "	10

and there was no choice

Second Ballot

Whole number of ballots cast	23
necessary for a choice	12
Sir James H. Johnston had	9
" Albert K. Cheney "	14

and the Em. Commander declared Sir Kt. Cheney elected Senior Warden for the ensuing year and he accepted the office to which he had been elected.

Junior Warden
On motion it was voted that the Recorder cast one ballot for Sir Charles F. Pillsbury for Junior Warden. The vote was cast and Sir Pillsbury was declared elected.

Treasurer

On motion of Em. Sir Warton it was unanimously voted that the Recorder cast one ballot bearing the name of Sir Kt. Edward E. Hicken for Treasurer for the ensuing year.

The Recorder cast the ballot as directed and Sir Hicken was declared elected and he accepted the office.

Recorder.

On motion of Sir Kt. Piper it was unanimously voted that the Treasurer cast one ballot bearing the name of Sir Kt. Harry W. Bayley for Recorder for the ensuing year.

The Treasurer cast the ballot and Sir Bayley was declared elected and he accepted.

Trustee Permanent Fund.

On motion of Sir O.H. Nelson it was unanimously voted that the Recorder cast one ballot bearing the name of Em. Sir Green Davis as a member of the Board of Trustees of the Permanent Fund for three years.

The ballot was cast, the Em. Commander declared Em. Sir Davis elected and he accepted the office.

The motion of Em. Sir Collins that the salary of the Recorder be $75. for the ensuing year was put and declared not a vote.

On motion of Sir Butler it was voted that the salary of the Recorder for the ensuing year be the same as last year, viz $50.

Commandery closed

Attest: Harry W. Bayley
Recorder

Newburyport, Mass. Sept. 17. 1914.

By a unanimous rising vote of Newburyport Commandery this page of its records is set apart and dedicated to the memory of

Sir Knight Hiram Rathburn
who was born in Hopeville, Conn, Oct. 14, 1852

He was Initiated an Entered Apprentice, Nov. 1. 1873,
Passed to the Degree of Fellowcraft, Dec. 4 1873,
Raised to the Sublime Degree of Master Mason, Dec. 13. 1873,
in Walcott Lodge No 60, Stafford Conn.

Advanced to the Degree of Mark Master Mason, Oct. 19. 1875,
Regularly Passed the Chair, Oct. 19. 1875,
Received & Acknowledged a Most Excellent Master, Nov. 2. 1875,
Exalted to the Sublime Degree of Royal Arch Mason, Nov. 2 1875
in Adoniram Chapter No 18. Rockville, Conn.

Admitted to the Rights & Honors of a Royal Master Feb. 26, 1904
Select Master Feb. 26. 1904
Super Excellent Master Feb. 26. 1904
in Adoniram Council No. 14, Rockville, Conn.

The Order of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross May 2. 1904
The Order of the Temple June 6. 1904
The Order of Malta June 6. 1904
in Saint John's Commandery No 11, Willimantic, Conn.

He died August 10. 1914.

Newburyport, Mass, Oct. 15. 1914

A stated conclave of Newburyport Commandery No 3, Knights Templars was convened at the Asylum this evening

Present	Em. Sir	Joseph N. Dummer	E. C.
	"	Samuel L. Porter	G.
	"	Irving S. Butler	C. G.
	"	James H. Johnston	S. W.
	"	Albert K. Cheney	J. W.
	"	Edward E. Hicken	T.
	"	Charles A. Stockman	St. B.
	"	Charles F. Pillsbury	W.
	"	Fred W. Piper	Third Guard
	"	Alfred W. Kimball	Second "
	"	Oscar H. Nelson	First "
	"	Joseph B. G. Welch	Asst "
	"	Matthew H. McKinney	" "
	"	Charles W. Perry Jr	" "
	"	Arthur P. Marden	M. O.
	"	Frank H. Rundlett	S.

also Em. Sir Geo W Davis
" " George E. Collins
" " Henry W. Little.

and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery.

H. A. Besse, J. M. Bailey, F. W. Chandler,
G. H. Dow, John Elliott, William Ford,
P. S. Gulezian, J. L. Jacoby, D. A. Lunt,
C. D. Montgomery, Wm. McKay, H. S. Noyes,
F. E. Page

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars.

The records of the previous meeting were read and approved after the addition of the election of Junior Warden which had been omitted

Em. Sir Geo. E. Collins, was escorted to the head of the lines for the purpose of installing the officers and he was assisted by Em. Sir Benjamin J. Norton as Grand Marshall.

Upon the conclusion of the installation of Em. Sir Joseph N. Dummer as Eminent Commander, that officer made his appointments and the following elective and appointed officers were installed

Sir	Samuel L. Porter,	Genl.
"	Irving S. Butler,	C. G.
"	Albert K. Cheney,	S. W.
"	Charles F. Pillsbury,	J. W.
"	Edward E. Hicken,	T.
"	Charles A. Stockman	St. B.
"	[illegible]	Sw. B.
"	Fred W. Piper,	W.
"	Alfred W. Kimball	Third Guard
"	Oscar H. Nelson	Second "
"	Joseph B. G. Welch	First "
"	Matthew H. McKinney	Asst. "
"	Charles W. Perry	" "
"	Fred W. Chandler	" "
"	Arthur P. Marden	M. D.
"	Frank H. Rundlett	S.

Em. Sir Moses Brown, Prelate, Sir Harry W. Bayley, Recorder and Sir Albert H. Reynolds, Sword Bearer were not present to be installed.

The Eminent Commander took this opportunity to thank the Installing officers for their courtesy in installing the officers and for the able manner in which it was performed,

Commandery closed

Attest!
signed Charles A. Stockman
Recorder pro tem

Newburyport, Mass. Nov. 19. 1914

A Stated Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No. 3. Knights Templar was convened at the Asylum this evening.

Present	Em. Sir Joseph N. Dummer,	E. C.
	" Samuel L. Porter,	G.
	" Irving S. Butler,	C. G.
	" Albert K. Cheney,	S. W.
	" Harry W. Bayley,	R.
	" Frank H. Rundlett,	S.
	" Arthur P. Marden,	M. D.

and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery
William McKay,
Harold S. Noyes.

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templar.

The records of the previous Conclave were read and declared approved.

Notice was received from the R. E. Grand Commander of the refusal of DeWitt Clinton Commandery of Portsmouth, N.H. to waive jurisdiction over Companion Ronnie Ernest Eaton of Seabrook, N.H. who made application June 18. 1914 for the Orders of Knighthood in this Commandery.

Notice was received of the appointment of Eminent Sir Lewis M. Woodbridge, Grand Lecturer, as Inspecting Officer of Newburyport Commandery.

The following letter was received

Newburyport Commandery of Knights Templars No. 3
Owing to age and infirmities I request a dimit
signed Jonathan Wallace Douglass
21 Ashland St
Newburyport Mass Nov. 10. 1914

According to the Constitution, and as Sir Knight Douglass was square upon the books his request was granted.

The following written motion was presented.

Newburyport, Nov. 19. 1914

I move, that in view of the eminent services rendered to the Craft by Sir Knight Jonathan W. Douglass, he be elected an Honorary member of Newburyport Commandery.
(signed) A. K. Cheney.

The Eminent Commander stated that this motion would appear on the notice of the December Conclave and action would be taken at that time.

Commandery closed

Attest:
Harry W. Bayley
Recorder.

Newburyport, Mass. Dec. 17. 1914

A stated Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No. 3. K. T. was convened at the Asylum this evening.

Present Em. Sir	Joseph N. Dummer	E. C.
"	Samuel L. Porter	G.
"	Irving S. Butler	C. G.
"	Charles F. Pillsbury	J. W.
"	Harry W. Bayley	P.
"	Charles A. Stockman	St. B.
"	Albert H. Reynolds	Sw. B.
"	Fred W. Piper	W.
"	Alfred W. Kimball	Third Guard.
"	Arthur P. Marden	M. D.
"	Frank H. Rundlett	S.

also Em. Sir Henry W. Little
and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery.
L. B. Cheney,
J. H. Johnston,
Wm. McKay,
F. E. Page
J. W. Talbot
A. A. H. Whelpley

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars

The records of the previous Conclave were read and declared approved

The following applications for the Orders of Knighthood were received:

Application Ruel S. Getchell.
Companion Ruel Sawyer Getchell,
Born in Salisbury, Mass. April 23, 1889
Residence " "
Place of business, Newburyport.
Occupation, Shoe Operative.
Member of St. Mark's Lodge and King Cyrus Chapter
Recommended and vouched for by Sir E. F. Dempsey
C. W. Perry, Jr., C. D. Montgomery, C. A. Stockman

and referred to a committee consisting of Sirs J. A. French, J. H. Johnston, and W. E. Aubin.

Companion William Plummer Lowell
Application William P. Lowell — Born in Newburyport, Mass., Dec. 10. 1862
Residence " "
Place of business " "
Occupation. Shoe Trimming Mfgr.
Member of St. John's Lodge and King Cyrus Chapter.
Recommended and vouched for by Sir A. K. Cheney, F. W. Piper, L. B. Cheney, W. E. Aubin and referred to a committee consisting of Em Sir Henry W. Little, Sirs A. P. Marden & C. A. Stockman.

Companion John Pow
Application John Pow — Born in Stirling, Scotland. Nov. 25. 1862
Residence Salisbury Mass.
Place of business Amesbury "
Occupation, Auto Trimmer
Member of Warren Lodge & Trinity Chapter, Amesbury Mass.
Recommended and vouched for by Sirs H. W. Bayley, S. L. Porter, A. A. H. Whelpley & A. P. Marden and referred to a committee consisting of Sir J. W. Clark, Em Sir Geo. E. Collins & Sir H. C. Austin

Companion Norman Russell.
Application Norman Russell — Born in Newburyport, Mass May 19. 1884
Residence " "
Place of business " "
Occupation Manufacturer
Member of St. John's Lodge and King Cyrus Chapter.
Recommended and vouched for by Sirs F. H. Rundlett, A. K. Cheney, F. W. Piper & L. B. Cheney, and referred to a committee consisting of Sirs Moody Kimball, C. A. Stockman, A. H. Reynolds.

Companion Tracy French Walton.
Application Tracy French Walton — Born in Salisbury Mass., June 26. 1879
Residence " "
Place of business Lynn, "
Occupation Shoe Worker
Member of St. Mark's Lodge and King Cyrus Chapter

Recommended and vouched for by Sirs H. E. Carlisle, E. F. Dempsey, J. A. French, J. S. Butler. and referred to a committee consisting of Sirs S. L. Porter, A. P. Marden & F. W. Piper

Jonathan W. Douglass Honorary Membership.

The motion of Sir Albert K. Cheney made at the Conclave of Nov. 19. 1914

"That in view of the eminent service rendered to the Craft by Sir Knight Jonathan Wallace Douglass he be elected an Honorary Member of Newburyport Commandery"

was placed before the Commandery and by a unanimous ballot Sir Kt. Douglass was elected

Voted that a page of the records be dedicated to the memory of our late Sir Knight Daniel H. Fowle who died Dec. 16. 1914

Sir Knight Pillsbury spoke of the great bereavement recently sustained by Sir Kt. Oscar H. Nelson in the death of his son and thought it would be fitting to send him our sympathy.

Em Sir Little said he thought it a good idea, and as Em. Sir Collins and Sir J. E. Fowle had recently been called upon to part with loved ones, he moved and it was unanimously voted that the Recorder send letters of condolence to Sir Knights Collins, Nelson & Fowle.

Commandery closed

Attest:
Harry W. Bayley
Recorder.

In Memoriam

Sir Knight Daniel H. Fowle

Born June 10, 1858.

Saint Mark's Lodge, A. F. & A. M.

Entered Apprentice	Jan. 9. 1888
Fellowcraft	Feb. 13. 1888
Master Mason	Mar. 12. 1888

King Cyrus Chapter, R. A. M.

Mark Master Mason,	Jan 8. 1891
Past Master	Jan 8. 1891
Most Excellent Master	Jan. 16. 1891
Royal Arch Mason	Feb. 27. 1891

Newburyport Commandery No 3, K. T.

Red Cross	Mar. 19. 1891
Temple	April 16. 1891
Malta	May 21. 1891

Died December 16. 1914

Newburyport, Mass Dec. 25. 1914

A Special Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No. 3. K.T. was convened at the Asylum at 11.45 o'clock today for the purpose of "Christmas Observance".

Present Em. Sir Joseph N. Dummer E. C.
" Samuel L. Porter G.
" Irving S. Butter C. G.
" Albert K. Cheney S. W.
" Charles F. Pillsbury J. W.
" Edward E. Hicken T.
" Harry W. Bayley R.
" Charles A. Stockman St. B.
" Albert H. Reynolds Sw. B.
" Fred W. Piper W.
" Alfred W. Kimball Third Guard
" Oscar H. Nelson Second "
" Arthur P. Marden M. D.
" Frank H. Rundlett S.

also Em Sir William R. Johnson
" " Irvin Davis
" " Charles F. Worthen
" " George E. Collins
" " William G. Fisher
" " Benjamin Pearson
" " Henry W. Little

and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery
W. Abbott, O. J. Anderson, J. M. Bailey,
J. E. Blake, H. C. Bates, Stanley Besse,
H. A. Besse, F. S. Collins, L. B. Cheney,
W. G. Dodge, C. E. Davis, S. J. Dauphinee,
John Elliott, J. T. Elliott, I. A. French,
Wm. Gillis, C. E. Houghton, F. M. Hoyt,
C. E. Ives, J. L. Jacoby, J. H. Johnston,
G. A. Johnson, M. Kimball, J. T. Litch,
F. L. Lattime Wm. McKay, R. J. McKinney,

G. W. Marquand, R. W. Nelson, H. J. Noyes,
H. S. Noyes, F. E. Page, A. N. Parry,
C. L. Perkins, C. W. Perry Jr. L. W. Sargent,
A. F. Swain, C. R. Scott, G. W. Worcester
A. A. H. Whelpley, R. H. Wilder,

Visitors

Em Sir H. A. Jenetchi, Coer De Lion Commandery, Charlestown, Mass
" W. A. F. DeVeber Boston " Boston "
" J. Warren Brown DeWitt Clinton " Portsmouth N. H.

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars.

Eminent Commander Dummer stated that this Conclave was called in compliance to the request, of the R∴ E∴ Grand Commander for the "Observance of Christmas".

Promptly at twelve, o'clock the Eminent Commander read the sentiment prepared by the Committee of the Grand Commandery on Christmas Observance to the Grand Master, Arthur MacArthur.
This was responded to by the Recorder reading the response of the Grand Master

The Eminent Commander then offered the following toast to R∴ E∴ Grand Commander, Walter F. Medding:
"Christmas and New Year Greetings from"
" the Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery."
" May all your efforts in behalf of Templarism"
" be crowned with success".

The next toast was to
"All Valiant and Magnanimous Knights Templars wherever"
"dispersed"

The Eminent Commander then proposed the following:

"To the Memory of our deceased Sir Knights" and the Recorder read

"The following Sir Knights of Newburyport"
"Commandery have passed away since our"
"last Christmas Observance".

Sir Knight George W. Osgood.
February 18, 1914.

Sir Knight Clarence Danforth,
March 3. 1914.

Sir Knight Daniel H. Fowle,
December 16, 1914.

Christmas Greetings were received from the following:-

St. John's	Commandery Nº	1	Providence,	R.I.
Washington	"	4	Newport,	"
Worcester County	"	5	Worcester,	Mass
Springfield	"	6	Springfield,	"
Pilgrim	"	9	Lowell,	"
Holy Sepulchre	"	8	Pawtucket,	R.I.
De Molay	"	7	Boston,	Mass
Palestine	"	10	Chelsea,	"
Milford	"	11	Milford,	"
Calvary	"	13	Providence,	R.I.
Sutton	"	16	New Bedford,	Mass
Winslow Lewis	"	18	Salem,	"
Jerusalem	"	19	Fitchburg,	"
Hugh de Payens	"	20	Melrose,	"
Saint Omer	"	21	Dorchester,	"
Woonsocket	"	24	Woonsocket,	R.I.
Godfrey de Bouillon	"	25	Fall River,	Mass
Joseph Warren	"	26	Roxbury,	"
Narragansett	"	27	Westerly,	R.I.
William Parkman	"	28	E. Boston,	Mass
Bristol	"	29	Attleboro,	"
Northampton	"	30	Northampton,	"
South Shore	"	31	E. Weymouth,	"
Natick	"	33	Natick,	"
Bethany	"	17	Lawrence	"
Coeur de Lion	Commandery Nº	34	Charlestown,	Mass
Olivet		36	Lynn,	"
Athol		37	Athol,	"
Bay State		38	Brockton,	"
St. Paul		40	No. Adams,	"
Beauseant		41	Malden.	"
Saint George		44	Beverly,	"
Orange,		45	Orange,	"
Ivanhoe		46	Gardner,	"
Quincy		47	Quincy,	"
St. Johns		3	Bangor,	Me
Bradford		4	Biddeford,	"
Pilgrim			Laconia,	N.H.
Trinity			Manchester,	"
Mount Horeb,			Concord,	"
Hugh de Payens			Keene,	"
Walter F. Medding			Grand Commander	
Benjamin W. Rowell			Grand Recorder.	
Asa E. Jewett		Recorder	Gethsemane Com #35	
Everett C. Benton			Grand Junior Warden	
J. Albert Davis			Detroit,	Mich.

The Sir Knights present then enjoyed a social hour and at its conclusion the Eminent Commander requested all to join in singing "Auld Lang Syne" and the Commandery was closed

Attest:
Harry W. Bayley
Recorder.

Newburyport, Mass. Jan. 21. 1915

A Stated Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No 3, K. T. was convened at the Asylum this evening.

Present Em. Sir Joseph N. Dummer E. C.
" Samuel L. Porter G.
" Irving S. Butler C. G.
" Albert K. Cheney S. W.
" Charles F. Pillsbury J. W.
Em. " Moses Brown P.
" Harry W. Bayley R.
" Charles A. Stockman St. B.
" Albert H. Reynolds Sw. B.
" Fred W. Piper W.
" Alfred W. Kimball Third Guard
" Oscar H. Nelson Second "
" Joseph B. G. Welch First "
" Charles W. Perry Jr Asst "
" Fred W. Chandler " "
" Arthur P. Marden M. D.
" Frank H. Rundlett S.

also Em Sir W. R. Johnson
" " B. J. Narton
" " W. G. Fisher
" " Benj. Pearson
" " H. W. Little

and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery.

W. E. Aubin,
J. L. Jacoby,
M. B. Merrill,
R. J. McKinney,
H. S. Noyes
W. F. Cook
D. A. Lunt,
C. D. Montgomery,
W. McKay,
F. E. Page
J. W. Talbot

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars

The records of the Stated Conclave of Dec 17, and Special Conclave of Dec. 25, were read and declared approved.

Acknowledgements of our Christmas Greetings were received from.

M∴ E∴ Sir Arthur MacArthur, Grand Master
E∴ Sir L. M. Woodbridge Grand Lecturer
Sir Matthew H. McKinney,
" Havelock L. Hurlburt,
" Samuel J. Ford.

Letters of thanks for sympathy expressed and floral tributes sent were received from Sir Kt. J. Eugene Fowle and Mrs Moody B. Noyes.

The following letter was received:

St. John's Lodge, A. F. & A. M.
Newburyport, Mass., Jan 14. 1915

Newburyport Commandery
Newburyport, Mass.

"At a meeting of the Permanent Trustees of St. John's Lodge held Jan. 12. 1915 to consider the subject of making equitable contracts with King Cyrus Chapter and Newburyport Commandery for the use of the quarters leased by St. John's Lodge and relative to allowing St. Mark's Lodge and Laurel Hill Chapter to use these quarters it was voted to request those bodies to appoint representatives to meet with the Trustees as soon as possible in order that the Trustees make a report at the next regular communication of St. John's Lodge on the first Thursday in Feb.

Your representatives can secure a date to meet with the Trustees by communicating with the undersigned.

Yours truly.

signed Eugene L. Holton
Wor. Master St. John's Lodge
per order Trustees.

Voted that the Council and Em. Sir Henry W. Little be appointed as the committee to meet with the Trustees of St. John's Lodge.

The following applications for the Orders of Knighthood were received.

Application Albert E DeRoche — Companion Albert E. De Roche, Worcester, Mass.
Born Jan 3. 1870
Residence Worcester Mass
Occupation, Overseer State Instution, Worcester, Mass.
Member St. Mark's Lodge & Eureka Chapter.
Recommended by Em Sirs W. J. Fisher & B. J. Walton
and Sirs F. H. Rundlett & R. J. McKinney
and referred to a committee consisting of Sirs A H Reynolds, W. F. Lunt & A.W. Kimball

Application Frederick Albert Kimball — Companion Frederick Albert Kimball, Ipswich, Mass
Born in Ipswich, Mass, March 28. 1861
Residence " "
Occupation, Salesman, Boston, Mass.
Member of John T. Heard Lodge & Amity. Chapter
Recommended by Sirs W. J. Riley, F. M. Burke & I. S. Butler
and referred to a committee consisting of Em. Sir Benj. Pearson, and Sirs F. L. Burke & H. W. Bayley

On motion it was voted to request of Worcester County Commandery the relase of jurisdiction on Companion Albert E. De Roche and of St. George Commandery on Companion Frederick Albert Kimball.

Voted that a page of the records be set apart to the memory of Em. Sir Moody P. Noyes who died Jan. 1. 1925.

Ruel S Getchell elected — The majority of the committee to whom was referred the petition of Comp. Ruel S. Getchell, reported a ballot was ordered and he was declared elected to receive the Order of Knighthood

Wm P. Lowell elected — The committee to whom was referred the application of Comp. William P. Lowell, reported and a ballot was ordered and he was declared elected

John Pow elected. — The committee to whom was referred the application of Comp. John Pow, reported, a ballot was ordered and he was declared elected

Norman Russell elected. — The committee to whom was referred the application of Comp. Norman Russell, reported, a ballot was ordered and he was declared elected.

Tracy F. Walton elected. — The committee to whom was referred the application of Comp. Tracy F. Walton, reported, a ballot was ordered and he was declared elected.

Business in the Commandery was suspended and a Council of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross opened and the Order was conferred upon

Companion Ruel S. Getchell
" William P. Lowell
" John Pow
" Norman Russell
" Tracy F. Walton

The Council of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross was closed and business in the Commandery resumed.

Commandery closed

Attest:
Harry W. Bayley
Recorder.

In Memoriam

Moody Brickett Noyes

Born Octo. 18, 1876

Saint John's Lodge A. F. & A. M.

Entered Apprentice,	Octo. 4. 1900
Fellowcraft,	Nov. 11. 1900
Master Mason,	Dec. 7. 1900
Worshipful Master, April 1910 to April	1911.

King Cyrus Chapter R. A. M.

Mark Master,	Mar. 14. 1901
Past Master	Mar. 14, 1901
Most Excellent Master	Mar. 15, 1901
Royal Arch Mason	May 8, 1901

Amesbury Council R. & S. M.

Royal Master	Feb. 27, 1912
Select Master	May 27, 1912
Super Excellent Master	Sept. 23, 1912

Newburyport Commandery No 3, K. T.

Red Cross	June 20. 1901
Temple	July 2. 1901
Malta	July 2, 1901

Eminent Commander Sept 1910 to Sept. 1911

Died January 1. 1915.

Newburyport, Mass., Feb. 12. 1915

A Special Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No 3 K. T. was convened at the Asylum this evening for the purpose of conferring the Order of the Temple.

Present	Em. Sir	Joseph A. Dummer	E. C.
	"	Irving S. Butler	C. G.
	Em "	George E. Collins	G. Pro tem.
	"	Albert K. Cheney	S. W.
	"	Charles F. Pillsbury	J. W.
	Em "	Moses Brown	P.
	"	Harry W. Bayley	R.
	"	Charles A. Stockman	St. B.
	"	Albert H. Reynolds	Sw. B.
	"	Fred W. Piper	W.
	"	Alfred W. Kimball	Third Guard
	"	Joseph B. G. Welch	First "
	"	Fred W. Chandler	Asst "
	"	Arthur P. Marden	M.D.
	"	Frank H. Rundlett	S.

also Em Sir William R. Johnson
" " Gerry Davis
" " John E. McCusker.
" " Benjamin Pearson
" " Henry W. Little.

and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery

J. M. Bailey,
L. B. Cheney,
D. A. Lunt,
J. T. Litch,
E. M. Osgood,
W. W. Pillsbury,
F. E. Page,
A. F. Swain
J. W. Talbot.

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars.

The Eminent Commander stated that this Special Conclave was called for the purpose of conferring the Order of the Temple.

Temple The Order of the Temple was conferred upon
Companion William P. Lowell
" Norman Russell

Commandery closed

Attest:
Harry W. Bayley
Recorder.

Newburyport, Mass., Feb. 18, 1915

A Stated Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No. 3 K. T. was convened at the Asylum this evening.

Present	Em. Sir	Joseph A. Dummer	E. C.
	"	Samuel L. Porter	G.
	"	Irving S. Butler	C. G.
	"	Albert K. Cheney	S. W.
	"	Charles F. Pillsbury	J. W.
	Em "	Moses Brown	P.
	"	Harry W. Bayley	R.
	"	Charles A. Stockman	St. B.
	"	Albert H. Reynolds	Sw. B.
	"	Alfred W. Kimball	Third Guard
	"	Joseph B. G. Welch	First "
	"	Charles W. Perry Jr	Asst "
	"	Daniel A. Lunt	act. " "
	"	Arthur P. Marden	M. O.
	"	Frank H. Rundlett	S.

also Ert Sir William R. Johnson
" " Green Davis
" " John E. McCusker
" " Benjamin J. Warton
" " George E. Collins
" " Henry W. Little

and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery

W. E. Aubin,
J. M. Bailey,
Wm. Ford,
J. W. Gurney,
J. H. Johnston,
Wm. McKay,
H. S. Noyes,
F. E. Page.

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars

The records of the previous Conclave were read and declared approved.

An appeal for contributions was received from the Masonic War Relief Association of the U. S. A for the relief of those dependent upon Masonic brethren who are now bearing arms in the great European War

On motion it was voted that the matter be referred to the Council and if the funds of the Commandery will admit it, that they do as they see fit about sending contributions.

The following letter was received from St. John's Lodge.
Newburyport Mass., Feb. 18. 1915

J. N. Dummer, Em. Commander
Newburyport, Commandery K. T.
Newburyport, Mass.
Em Sir and Brother:

St. John's Lodge at their last communication voted to sub-let your present quarters to you at a rental of $150. per year and that lease should be drawn, and authorized the Permanent Trustee to execute same.

Conditions are to be the same as old lease except light and telephone is included in your rent.

Your regular meeting night which is Thursday in the third week, and any specials or rehearsals can be arranged for through the Secretary of St. John's Lodge who will handle the dating of Hall.

Will you have proper Committee authorized to sign lease and advise me personal of same that I may arrange a meeting before March 1st

Yours
(signed) Eugene L. Holton
W. M. St. John's Lodge

Voted that the Council be empowered to sign the lease for the Commandery.

The following letter was received from
Worcester County Commandery No. 5. K. T.
Worcester, Mass. Feb. 11. 1915

Sir Harry W. Bayley
Recorder Newburyport Comdy No 3. K. T.
Dear Frater:

At a Stated Conclave of Worcester County Commandery No 5 held Feb. 4. 1915 it was voted to grant the request of Newburyport Commandery for waiver of jurisdiction over Comp. Albert E. De Roche of Worcester, Mass.

Courteously yours
(signed) Wm. S. Dadmun
Recorder.

The following letter was received from
St. George Commandery
Beverly, Mass, Feb. 13. 1915

Sir H. Bayley
Recorder Newburyport Comdy. K. T.
Sir Knight:

I presented your request regarding Comp. Kimball at our conclave on Thursday eve but at the request of some of our members from Ipswich, action was deferred until our conclave in March.

Courteously yours
signed Wm. C. Hill
Recorder.

Voted that the request for a dimit by Sir Knight F. P. Currier be granted and that the amount of dues overpaid by him be returned.

The Committee to whom was referred the petition of Comp. Albert E. De Roche requested further time which was granted.

On motion of Sir Kt. Johnston it was voted that the Council and three other Sir Knights be appointed as a committee to report later on the advisability of celebrating St. John's Day with recommendations.

The Em. Commander appointed Sir J. H. Johnston, J. W. Clark & Em Sir Gerry Davis.

The Order of the Temple was conferred upon

Temple.

Companion Reuel S. Getchell
" John Pow
" Tracy F. Watton

Commandery closed
attest:
Harry W. Bayley
Recorder.

Newburyport, Mass., Mar. 18. 1915

A Stated Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No 3 Knights Templars was convened at the Asylum this evening.

Present	Em. Sir	Joseph N. Dummer,	E. C.
	"	Samuel L. Porter,	G.
	"	Irving S. Butler,	C. G.
	"	Albert H. Cheney,	S. W.
	"	Charles F. Pillsbury,	J. W.
	Em. "	Moses Brown,	P.
	"	Harry W. Bayley,	R.
	"	Charles A. Stockman,	St. B.
	"	Albert H. Reynolds,	Sw. B.
	"	Fred W. Piper,	W.
	"	Alfred W. Kimball,	Third Guard
	"	Charles W. Perry,	Asst. "
	"	Fred W. Chandler,	" "
	"	Arthur P. Marden,	M. D.
	"	Frank H. Rundlett,	S.

also Em Sir William R. Johnson,
" " Gerry Davis,
" " Benjamin J. Warton,
" " William G. Fisher,
" " Henry W. Little.

and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery:

W. E. Aubin,
J. M. Bailey,
Wm. Ford,
Wm. McKay,
John Pow,
J. W. Talbot,
G. R. Tarbox.

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars

The records of the previous Conclave were read and declared approved.

The following petitions for the Orders were received.

Application James Black

Companion James Black, Newburyport,
Born in Vale of Leden, Scotland, Dec. 29. 1879
Occupation, Foreman Shoe Factory, Wakefield, Mass.
Member of St. John's Lodge and King Cyrus Chapter.
Recommended and vouched for by Sirs C.A. Stockman, H.W. Bayley, Wm. McKay & J. M. Bailey and referred to a committee consisting of Em. Sir W. G. Fisher and Sirs A. K. Cheney & A. H. Reynolds.

Application Charles Francis Adams Hall.

Companion Charles Francis Adams Hall, Newburyport.
Born in St. Johnsbury Vt., Dec. 31. 1873
Occupation, Physician & Surgeon, Newburyport.
Member of St. John's Lodge and King Cyrus Chapter.
Recommended and vouched for by Em Sirs W. R. Johnson & J. N. Dummer and Sirs H.W. Bayley & A.K. Cheney and referred to a committee consisting of Em. Sir B. J. Warton, and Sirs A. P. Marden & C. F. Pillsbury

Application Frederick Barnard Wiley

Companion Frederick Barnard Wiley, Newburyport
Born in Wakefield, Mass. June 21. 1891
Occupation, Theatrical Electrician, Newburyport.
Member of St. Mark's Lodge and King Cyrus Chapter.
Recommended and vouched for by Sirs C.A. Stockman, A.H. Reynolds, C.W. Perry Jr & H.W. Bayley and referred to a committee consisting of Em. Sir H.W. Little, and Sirs A.W. Kimball & F. W. Piper

The following was received from Saint George Commandery.

Beverly, Mass, Mar. 12. 1915

Sir Kn. Harry W. Bayley
Rec. Newburyport Comdy.

Dear Bro & Sir :-

The request of Newburyport Comdy. that jurisdiction be waived on Comp. Fred A. Kimball was acted upon at our conclave last evening and by vote of the Comdy. the request was not granted.

Courteously yours
(signed) Wm. C. Hill
Recorder.

Albert E. DeRoche Rejected

The committee to whom was referred the petition for the Orders, of Companion Albert E. De Roche, reported, a ballot was ordered and he was declared rejected.

On motion of Em. Sir Henry W. Little it was voted that the Recorder petition the Grand Commandery for concurrent jurisdiction with St. George Commandery over Ipswich.

Voted that the Recorder extend to Sir Knights Stanley and Harold A. Besse, the sympathy of the Commandery in the loss of their father, Sir Kt. Irvin Besse.

Voted that a page of the records be set apart to the memory of Sir Knight Irvin Besse

Commandery closed.

Attest:
Harry W. Bayley
Recorder.

In Memoriam

Irvin Besse

Born July 17. 1855

Saint John's Lodge, A. F. & A. M.

Entered Apprentice	Feb. 4. 1886
Fellowcraft	Apr 1. 1886
Master Mason	June 3. 1886

King Cyrus Chapter R. A. M.

Mark Master	Nov. 13. 1889
Past Master	Nov. 13. 1889
Most Excellent Master	Dec 12. 1889
Royal Arch Mason	Dec 18. 1889

Newburyport Commandery K. T.

Red Cross	Jan 16. 1890
Temple	Feb 4. 1890
Malta	Mar 20. 1890

Died at Newburyport, Mass

March 10. 1915

Newburyport, Mass. April 15. 1915

A Stated Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No 3 K. T. was convened at the Asylum at 4.30 oclock this afternoon

Present	Em. Sir	Joseph N. Dummer	E. C.
	"	Samuel L. Porter	G
	"	Irving S. Butler	C. G.
	"	Albert K. Cheney	S. W.
	"	Charles F. Pillsbury	J. W.
	Em. "	Moses Brown	P.
	"	Harry W. Bayley	R.
	"	Charles A. Stockman	St. B.
	"	Albert H. Reynolds	Sw. B.
	"	Fred W. Piper	W.
	"	Alfred W. Kimball	Third Guard
	"	Oscar H. Nelson	Second "
	"	Joseph B. G. Welch	First "
	"	Charles W. Perry Jr.	Asst "
	"	Fred W. Chandler	" "
	"	Daniel A. Lunt	" " pro tem
	"	Arthur P. Marden	M. D.
	"	Frank H. Rundlett	S.

also Em. Sir William R. Johnson
" " Byron Davis
" " Orrin J. Gurney
" " Charles F. Worthen
" " Benjamin J. Warton
" " William G. Fisher
" " George E. Collins
" " Benjamin Pearson
" " Henry W. Little

and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery

H.T. Ames
H.C. Austin
W.E. Aubin
W. Abbott.
H.C. Bates
J.E. Baumgartner
W.H. Bayley
A.H. Berry
L. Berry
W.N. Brown
G.L. Bean
J.M. Bailey
H.E. Carlisle

C.R. Calkins
C.W. Crooke
J.W. Clark
F.S. Collins
S.J. Dauphinee
E.F. Dempsey
C.E. Davis
H.E. Dodge
W.G. Dodge
G.H. Dow
J. Elliott
J.T. Elliott
D.H. Elkins

Wm. Ford.
S.D. Flanders
I.A. French
S.J. Ford
G.A. Fogg
J.W. Gurney
P.S. Gulezian
J.D. Holland
W.F. Houston
C.E. Houghton
G.A. Johnson
J.H. Johnston
A.S. Jewell

M. Kimball
J.E. Lunt
F.L. Lattime
E.N. Lambert
J.J. Mason
M.B. Merrill
W.E. Morrill
F.E. Miller
C.D. Montgomery
D. Morrison
R.J. McKinney
Wm. McKay
W.H. Noyes

R.W. Nelson
F.G. Newton
E.M. Osgood
C.L. Perkins
W.W. Pillsbury
Isaac Poor
G.H. Philbrook
F.E. Page
W.J. Riley
J.A. Rowell
F.M. Swett
C.R. Scott
L.W. Sargent

C.S. Spaulding
A.F. Swain
C.F. Silloway
H.B. Trask
J.W. Talbot
A.P. Wilson
A.A.H. Whelpley
W.P. Lowell.
J. Pow.
N. Russell
T.F. Walton.

Visitors

Sir A. MacMurray,	St. Johns	Comdy	#1	Providence,	R.I.
" F.M. Faunce	Palestine	"	#10	Chelsea	Mass
" S.M. Douglass	"	"	#10	"	"
" A.S. Morley	Cambridge	"	#42	Cambridge	"
" R.S. Kimball	St. George	"	#44	Beverly	"
" D.T. Howe	"	"	#44	"	"
" P.W. Wescott,	Portland	"		Portland	Me
" Warren Brown,	DeWitt Clinton	"		Portsmouth	N.H.
" L.D. Hunt	"	"		"	"
" J.M. Rowe	"	"		"	"
" A.H. Sawyer	"	"		"	"
" C.D. Hatch	"	"		"	"
" C.M. Collins	"	"		"	"
" T.L. Sanborn	"	"		"	"
" E.G. Cole	"	"		"	"
" F.W. Tilton	"	"		"	"
" E.T. Bennett	St Paul	"		Dover	"
" S.E. Willard	Barnet	"	#9	Bradford	Vt.
" D.C. Chapman	Chevalier Bayard	"	#52	Chicago,	Ill.

Schubert Quartet of Boston

Sir H.S. Tripp,	Jos. Warren	Comdy	#26	Roxbury,	Mass
" W.W. Walker,	Wm Parkman	"	#28	E. Boston	"
" A.C. Steele,	"	"	#28	"	"
" C.W. Swain,	Pilgrim	"		Laconia,	N.H.

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templar.

The records of the previous Conclave were read and declared approved

A letter was received from the R.E. Grand Commander in reply to our request for concurrent jurisdiction with St. George Commandery over the town of Ipswich, stating that it would be necessary to place the same in the form of an amendment and present it at the Semi-Annual Conclave of the Grand Commandery to be held in Providence in May.

Letters of thanks were received from Sir Knights Stanley and Harold A. Besse for floral tribute and letters of sympathy sent ~~them~~ by the Commandery on the death of their father Sir Irvin Besse.

C.F.A. Hall elected.

The committee to whom was referred the petition of Comp. Charles Frances Adams Hall, reported, a ballot was ordered and he was declared elected to receive the Order of Knighthood as conferred by Newburyport Commandery

F.B. Wiley elected

The committee to whom was referred the petition of Comp. Frederick Barnard Wiley, reported, a ballot was ordered and he was declared elected to receive the Order of Knighthood as conferred by Newburyport Commandery

James Black elected.

The majority of the committee to whom was referred the petition of Comp. James Black, reported, a ballot was ordered and he was declared elected to receive the Order of Knighthood as conferred by Newburyport Commandery

The following petition for the Order was received

Application Ronnie Ernest Eaton.

Ronnie Ernest Eaton. Newburyport, Mass. Heeler
Haverhill, Mass. Member St. Marks Lodge, & King Cyrus Chapter
Born in Seabrook N.H., March 17. 1889.
Recommended by Sirs C.A. Stockman, C.W. Perry Jr.,
A.H. Reynolds & A.H. Berry and referred to Em. Sir H.W. Little,
Sirs F.W. Piper + A.W. Kimball.

The Eminent Commander stated in the matter of contribution to the Masonic War Relief Asso. which had been left in the hands of the Council, that the sum of \$25.00 had been sent.

Red Cross

Business in the Commandery was suspended and a Council of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross opened and the Order was conferred upon

Comp. James Black
" Frederick B. Wiley

The Council of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross was closed and business resumed in the Commandery, and all repaired to the banquet room where an excellent banquet was in waiting, after which all returned to the Asylum.

At this time Em. Sir William A. Seward, Deputy Grand Warden entered the Asylum and informed the Eminent Commander that

Eminent Sir Lewis M. Woodbridge
Grand Lecturer of the Grand Commandery
of Massachusetts and Rhode Island

was in an adjoining apartment in waiting to officially inspect Newburyport Commandery.

The Eminent Commander informed the Deputy Grand Warden that he recognized the authority of the Inspecting officer and would at once wait upon him with a committee and appointed as that committee.

Em Sir Glen Davis
" " William R. Johnson
" " William G. Fisher
" " Orrin J. Gurney
" " Charles F. Worthen
" " Benjamin J. Warton
" " Benjamin Pearson
" " Moses Brown
" " George E. Collins
" " Henry W. Little.

The committee retired and escorted Em Sir Woodbridge and suite to the Asylum and the Inspecting officer was introduced to the Eminent Commander by Sir Samuel L. Porter, Generalissimo.

The Eminent Commander extended cordial greetings to the Inspecting officer who acknowledged the cordial manner in which he had been received and expressed his pleasure in his appointment as the Inspecting officer of this old Commandery and

presented to the Eminent Commander the members of his suite consisting of the following

R. E.	Sir	Wm. H. H. Soule,	P. G. Com.	of the G. Com.	of Mass. + R. I.	
" "	"	Freeman C. Hervey	" " "	"	" "	"
"	"	H. H. Litchfield	" " W.	"	"	"
"	"	Henry A. Gnetchie	" " L.	"	"	"
"	"	Wm. A. Seward	D. " W.			
"	"	Joseph T. Paul	E. C.	Boston	Commandery	# 1
"	"	Frederick W. Faunce	" "	Palestine	"	# 10
"	"	George W. Palmer	" "	Haverhill	"	# 14
"	"	Wm. G. Irwin	" "	St. Omer	"	# 21
	"	Chas. W. Pike	C. G.	"	"	# 21
	"	Leonard F. Hall	" "	Coeur de Lion	"	# 34
Em	"	John H. Studley Jr	P. C.	"	"	# 34
"	"	Oscar G. Sargent	" "	"	"	# 34
"	"	Herbert P. Nickerson	" "	"	"	# 34
	"	Hugh M. Tolar	G.	Cambridge	"	# 42
	"	Geo. B. Colesworthy	C. G.	"	"	# 42
	"	Frank R. Starkey	G.	St. George	"	# 44
Em.	"	Edmund Tetley	P. C.	Pilgrim	"	Laconia N. H.
"	"	Joseph B. F. Bell	" "	"	"	" "
"	"	Edwin P. Hodgdon	" "	"	"	" "
"	"	Charles G. St. Clair	" "	"	"	" "

The Eminent Commander then escorted Em. Sir Woodbridge to the head of the Commandery, and the official count resulted as follows

Members of Newburyport Commandery in regalia	75
" " " not " "	12
Visitors exclusive of suite	23
Suite	22
Total	132

The Charter, records and by-laws together with
Rituals of the Red Cross, Temple + Malta # 5253
" " " " #2843, 2844 + 4152
" " Prelate # 427
were duly examined

The Eminent Commander then resumed his position at the head of the Commandery.

Red Cross
C.F.A. Hall

Business in the Commandery was suspended and a Council of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross opened and the Order was conferred upon
Comp. Charles Francis Adams Hall.
the officers being assisted in the work by the Schubert Male Quartet of Boston.

At the conclusion of the work the Council was closed and business in the Commandery resumed and those present were favored with addresses by
Em. Sir Lewis M. Woodbridge Inspecting Officer
" " Joseph T. Paul, E.C. Boston Commandery
R. " " Wm. H. H. Soule, P.G.C. Grand " Mass & R.I.

Em. Sir Charles G. St. Clair, P. Com. of Pilgrim Commandery Laconia, N.H. then in response to an invitation by the Eminent Commander for remarks addressed the Commandery as follows:

Eminent Commander and Sir Knights:

The well earned fame of your Commandery for charity and hospitality has spread both far and wide.

It had reached and penetrated the confines of our Dominion long before our Sir Knights had had the honor and privilege of a personal acquaintance with the Sir Knights of your Commandery.

Our acquaintance has ripened into friendships warm and lasting; such friendships as only true Knights of the Order are able to have and maintain.

The Sir Knights living on the shore of the "Smile of the Great Spirit" have a warm spot in their hearts for you who dwell near the outlet of the great river whose source is in the lake bearing the name I have given.

We feel honored in our association with you and sincerely prize your friendship.

A little less than a year ago, on a day venerated by all Knights Templar we enjoyed your hospitality, which through your generous hearted kindness was extended to Pilgrim Commandery of Laconia, to which I have the honor to belong.

The day will be long remembered as a day of happiness and pleasure by every Sir Knight of our Commandery who was so fortunate as to be in attendance, and the occasion more thoroughly cemented if it was possible the friendship that existed between the Sir Knights of your Commandery and ours.

The Sir Knights of Pilgrim Commandery wish it to be known how sincerely they appreciate the courtesy and kindness they have received from the Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery, and so Eminent Sir, I have been delegated to appear at this Conclave and as well as I can tell you their feelings and regard for you all.

As a slight token of their love and esteem and of their appreciation of your courtesy, kindness and hospitality I am requested Eminent Sir to present to your Commandery this loving cup as the gift of Pilgrim Commandery, and for that Commandery to wish for your Commandery the utmost prosperity in every endeavor to promote the noble and glorious work in which it is engaged and to each Sir Knight a long life filled to the utmost with health, happiness and joy.

Eminent Sir St. Clair then presented to Em. Sir Dummer the Sterling Silver Loving Cup referred to which is inscribed as follows.

Em. Sir Dummer although taken completely by surprise, was equal to the situation and in his usual pleasing way and in particularly well chosen words extended to Em. Sir St. Clair the thanks of Newburyport Commandery for the beautiful gift and requested him to bear them to Pilgrim Commandery.

The Eminent Commander presented to the Inspecting Officer a Newburyport Commandery badge as a souvenir of his visit.

This was very pleasing acknowledged by the recipient.

The Inspecting officer then stated that the purpose of his visit having been accomplished he would with his suite retire.

The escort was formed and the distinguished visitors escorted to the ante room.

Commandery closed.

Attest!
Harry W. Bayley
Recorder.

Newburyport, Mass., May 11. 1915

A Special Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No 3. K. T. was convened at the Asylum at 2.30 oclock this afternoon for the purpose of attending the funeral of the late Sir Knight George H. Stevens.

Present Em. Sir Joseph N. Dummer, E. C.
" Samuel L. Porter, G.
" Irving S. Butler C. G.
" Charles F. Pillsbury J. W.
Em. " Moses Brown P.
" Frank H. Rundlett S.

also Em Sir William R. Johnson
" " Henry W. Little

and Sir Knights A. F. Swain, P. S. Gulezian, J. W. Talbot

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars.

The Eminent Commander stated the object of this Special Conclave and the Commandery repaired to 37 Kent Street, the home of our late Sir Knight and escorted the remains to Oak Hill Cemetery where the Templar Burial service was conducted by the Eminent Commander assisted by a male quartet.

The Commandery then returned to the Asylum and the Commandery was closed.

Attest!
Harry W. Bayley
Recorder

Newburyport, Mass., May 21. 1915

A Stated Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No. 3. K. T. was convened at the Asylum this evening.

Present	Em. Sir	Joseph N. Dummer	E. C.
	"	Samuel L. Porter	G.
	"	Irving S. Butler	C. G.
	"	Albert K. Cheney	S. W.
	"	Charles F. Pillsbury	J. W.
	Em "	Moses Brown	P.
	"	Harry W. Bayley	R.
	"	Charles A. Stockman	St. B.
	"	Albert H. Reynolds	Sw. B.
	"	Alfred W. Kimball	Third Guard
	"	Oscar H. Nelson	Second "
	"	Joseph B. G. Welch	First "
	"	Fred W. Chandler	Asst. "
	"	Arthur P. Marden	M. D.
	"	Frank H. Rundlett	S.

also Em Sir William R. Johnson
" " Green Davis
" " George E. Collins
" " Benjamin H. Young
" " Henry W. Little.

and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery

J. M. Bailey, W. H. Bayley, F. S. Collins,
L. D. Cameron, J. W. Clark, G. H. Dow,
S. J. Dauphinee, H. L. Hurlburt, C. E. Houghton
F. M. Hoyt. P. S. Gulezian, R. J. McKinney,
M. B. Merrill, H. S. Noyes, J. H. Johnston,
A. N. Parry, C. L. Perkins, F. E. Page
John Poro, W. W. Pillsbury, Norman Russell,
C. S. Spaulding, F. M. Swett, C. R. Scott,
J. W. Talbot A. A. H. Whelpley

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars

The records of the Stated Conclave of April 15. and Special Conclave of May 11 were read and approved.

Notice was received from the Grand Commander of the death of

R. Em. Sir Charles Carroll Hutchinson
Past G. Commander of the Grand Commandery
of Massachusetts and Rhode Island
which occurred April 29. 1915.

An appeal for contributions to "The Rainy Day Fund" was received from M. W. Melvin M. Johnson, Grand Master.

The motion of Sir Samuel L. Porter that "Newburyport Commandery give the sum of $50. per year to the "Rainy Day Fund" for the Masonic Home" was amended by Em Sir Little "That the matter be left with the Council and report at the next Conclave" and the amendment was put and carried.

The Eminent Commander stated that Companion Ronie Ernest Eaton had discovered that he had not obtained a legal residence in Newburyport when making application for the Orders as conferred by this Commandery and desired to withdraw his application. No objection being made the Em. Commander stated that his request would be granted.

The Eminent Commander for the Committee on St. John's Day stated that the committee recommended a parade with band at 9.30, return to the Asylum and lay off regalia, take Automobiles to Faragut House, Rye Beach N. H. for dinner and sports, Return about 5. P. M. Cost would be 5.00 per head if 80 participated.

On motion of Sir Knight Nelson it was voted that the report be accepted and recommendations adopted.

On motion of Em Sir Little it was voted that the details be left with the Council, they to appoint such committees as they see fit.

Voted that a page of the records be set apart to the memory of the late Sir Kt. George H. Stevens.

The Order of the Temple was conferred upon
Companion James Black
Temple " Charles Francis Adams Hall
" Frederick Barnard Wiley.

Commandery closed

Attest: Harry W. Bayley
Recorder

In Memoriam

George H. Stevens

Born April 15, 1829.

St. Marks Lodge, A.F. & A.M.

Entered Apprentice	Nov. 24, 1863
Fellowcraft	Dec. 22, 1863
Master Mason	Jan. 19, 1864

Worshipful Master, Jan. 1868 to Jan 1869.

King Cyrus Chapter R.A.M.

Mark Master Mason	Mar. 16. 1865
Past Master	Mar. 16. 1865
Most Excellent Master	Mar. 16. 1865
Royal Arch Mason	April 13, 1865

Most Excellent High Priest Oct. 1869 to Oct. 1870

Amesbury Council R. & S. M.

Royal Master	Oct. 21. 1890
Select Master	Oct. 21. 1890
Super Excellent Master	Jan 12, 1891

Newburyport Commandery K.T.

Red Cross	Mar. 24. 1867
Temple	May 31. 1867
Malta	June 21. 1867

Recorder Dec. 1869 to Sept. 1903,

Died May 8, 1915.

Newburyport, Mass, June 17. 1915

A stated Conclave of Newburyport Commandery was convened at the Asylum this evening

Present	Em. Sir	Joseph N. Dummer	E.C.
	"	Samuel L. Porter	G.
	"	Irving S. Butler	C. G.
	"	Albert H. Cheney	S. W.
	"	Charles F. Pillsbury	J. W.
	"	Edward E. Hickin	T.
	"	Charles A. Stockman	St. B. Recorder pro tem.
	"	Albert H. Reynolds	Sw. B.
	"	Fred W. Piper	W.
	"	Oscar H. Nelson	Second Guard
	"	Arthur P. Marden	M.D.
	"	Frank H. Rundlett	S.

also Em Sir William R. Johnson
" " Gerri Davis
" " Benjamin J. Warton
" " George E. Collins
" " Henry W. Little.

and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery
J. M. Bailey, James Black, L. B. Cheney,
G. H. Dow, D. H. Elkins, Wm. Ford,
P. S. Gulezian, R. S. Getchell, C. F. A. Hall,
W. B. Hopkinson, W. P. Lowell, Wm. McKay,
H. S. Noyes, F. E. Page, John Pow,
Norman Russell, F. M. Sweett, J. W. Talbot
T. F. Walton, F. B. Wiley

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars.

The records of the previous Conclave were read and declared approved.

The following communication was received

Grand Commandery of Knights Templars
and the
Appendant Orders of Massachusetts
and Rhode Island.

Office of the Grand Commander
206 Ferry Street, Malden, Mass
May 22. 1915.

In Memoriam.

Nelson Wilmarth Aldrich
Past Grand Commander of the Grand Commandery
of Massachusetts and Rhode Island
Died in New York City, Friday April 16. 1915

It is with sorrow, that I announce to you the death of our senior Past Grand Commander, Right Eminent Sir Nelson Wilmarth Aldrich.

He was born in Foster, R.I., November 6. 1841. His early education was received at the public schools of that town, and later he pursued a brief course of study at the academy in Greenwich, R.I.

His business life began as a mill boy in a small factory in his home town where his superior intelligence soon attracted the attention of the proprietor of the village store, who, because of his interest in the young man, furnished books and encouraged him to pursue his studies further, and finally secured for him a clerkship in a store in Providence.

At the outbreak of the civil war Mr. Aldrich was employed as a bookkeeper by a large firm of wholesale grocers. Resigning his position, he enlisted in the Tenth Rhode Island Volunteers, and at the expiration of his term of service, re-entered their employ and three years later became a partner, which interest he held for several years, even after his election to the Congress of the United States.

His political career was a remarkable one. He was a member of the Common Council of the city of Providence from 1869 to 1873, serving that body a part of the time as president. He represented the city of Providence in the General Assembly for three years, two of which he was Speaker of the House.

He was elected Representative to the Congress of the United States in 1879 and served as a member of that body until October, 1881, when he resigned to accept election as United States Senator. As Senator he gained wide reputation and was for many years considered a leading factor in our national politics. He served in this office until March 1911, when he declined further election.

The Masonic record of Right Eminent Sir Aldrich was a long and honorable one. He received the symbolic degrees in What Cheer Lodge of Providence, R.I., in 1866, and served that body as Worshipful Master in 1879-80. He held the office of Grand Treasurer of the Grand Lodge of Rhode Island in 1877 and 1878, and at the time of his death he had been Representative of the Grand Lodge of the District of Columbia near the Grand Lodge of Rhode Island for twenty-eight years.

He received the capitular degrees in Providence R.A. Chapter in 1866 and the cryptic degrees in Providence Council R.+S.M., in 1867.

He was knighted in Calvary Commandery No 13, K.T., of Providence, R.I. on May 7, 1867 and was installed as the tenth Commander of that body in December, 1870, serving one year. In the Grand Commandery of Knights Templars of Massachusetts and Rhode Island, he was elected Grand Commander in 1879 and at the time of his death was the senior Past Grand Commander as well as the senior Past Commander of Calvary Commandery.

He received the thirty second degree A+A.S.R. in 1870 and was a member of Rhode Island Consistory, S.P.R.S.

In social life he was a member of the Art Club, Hope Club, Squantum Association, all of Providence, R.I., the Union League Club of New York City; the Metropolitan and other clubs of Washington, D.C.

He is survived by a widow, five sons and three daughters: Edward B. Aldrich of New York City; Stuart M. Aldrich of Providence; William T. Aldrich of Boston; Richard S. Aldrich of Warwick; Winthrop Aldrich, of New York; Miss Lucy T. Aldrich, of Warwick Neck; Mrs. John D. Rockefeller Jr. of New York; and Mrs Stephen M. Edgell, of Denver, Colo.: also a brother Clarence A. Aldrich of Providence.

The funeral services were held at Providence on Sunday April 18 and were largely attended by men from the highest stations in life, State, and nation, Masonic, legislative, financial and mercantile, and amid the beautiful flowers, the silent testimony of the love and regard for our departed Frater, all that was mortal of Right Eminent Sir Nelson W. Aldrich was reverently committed to its last resting place.

"No more to him comes hope nor fear;
God called his name, he answered, 'Here';
With folded arms upon his breast,
He lies asleep in sweet, eternal rest."

It is hereby ordered that this memorial be read at the head of each Commandery in this Grand Jurisdiction at the first Conclave after its receipt, spread in full upon its records and that the banners and jewels of the Order be draped in mourning for a period of sixty days

Given under my hand and the seal of the Grand Commandery this twenty-second day of May A.D. 1915, A.O. 779

Signed Walter F. Medding
Grand Commander

(seal)

Attest!
B.W. Rowell
Grand Recorder.

Letter of thanks for kind attention shown our late Frater, Sir Kt. George H. Stevens, were received from his family.

General dispensations for the observance of St. John's Day and special dispensation to enter the jurisdiction of New Hampshire were received from the Grand Commander.

The Council reported that in accordance with the vote at the Conclave of May 21, they recommended that $25 be sent to the "Rainy day fund" for the Masonic Home, for this year only.

Voted that the report be accepted and recommendations adopted.

Voted that the July and August Conclaves be omitted and that the next regular Conclave be held the third Thursday in September.

The Order of Malta was conferred upon
Sir Kt. Walter B. Hopkinson
" David H. Elkins
" Ruel S. Getchell
" William P. Lowell
" John Prow,
" Norman Russell
" Tracy F. Walton
" James Black
" Charles F. A. Hall
" Frederick B. Wiley

Em. Sir Henry W. Little acting as Prelate.

Commandery closed

Attest!
signed Charles A. Stockman
Recorder Pro tem.

Newburyport, Mass., June 24. 1915

A Special Conclave of Newburyport Commandery was convened at the Asylum at 9.^oo^ oclock this morning for the purpose of celebrating St. John's Day.

Present Em. Sir. Joseph N. Dummer E.C.
" Samuel L. Porter G.
" Albert K. Cheney S.W.
" Charles F. Pillsbury J.W.
" Edward E. Hickan T.
" Fred W. Piper W.
" Alfred W. Kimball Third Guard
" Oscar H. Nelson Second "
" Matthew H. McKinney Asst "
" Charles W. Perry Jr " "
" Frank H. Rundlett S.

also Em Sir William R. Johnson
" " Benjamin J. Warton
" " George E. Collins
" " Henry W. Little

and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery.

A. J. Anderson, H. C. Austin, R. G. Adams
W. Abbott, A. H. Berry, L. Berry
W. N. Brown, G. L. Bean, P. H. Bolman
J. M. Bailey, Jas Black, H. W. Clark
J. W. Clark John Currier, E. F. Dempsey
G. H. Dow, J. T. Elliott, D. H. Elkins
S. J. Ford, G. A. Fogg, F. M. Hoyt,
W. F. Houston, C. E. Houghton, J. L. Jacoby,
F. L. Lattime, E. N. Lambert, D. A. Lunt,
F. S. Merrill, M. B. Merrill F. O. Morse
T. J. Maddock, R. J. McKinney Wm McKay
W. H. Noyes, R. W. Nelson, A. S. Noyes
F. G. Newton, John Pow, A. G. Perkins

F. E. Page, B. A. Rogers, J. A. Rowell
Norman Russell, F. M. Swett, C. R. Scott,
L. W. Sargent, A. F. Swain, C. F. Silloway
J. W. Talbot, J. H. Wheeler, J. H. Walker
A. A. H. Whelpley, R. H. Wiede W. P. Lowell
T. F. Walton, C. F. A. Hall

Visitor

Sir Chas H. Cutting Tuscan Commandery #1

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars

The Eminent Commander stated that this special Conclave had been called for the purpose of celebrating St. John's Day by a pilgrimage to Rye Beach N.H.

The Commandery proceeded to the street where the lines were formed, and escorted by the Rowley Brass Band of 22 pieces marched over the following route.

Down State up Pleasant up Market, down High, down Federal up Middle, up State St to the Asylum where sixteen automobiles were in waiting.

After a few minutes rest the Sir Knights entered the Autos and proceeded to Amesbury and made a fraternal call on Sir Knight "Pop." Curtis. The band played several selections and the Eminent Commander presented the veteran Sir Knight with a bouquet of flowers, who although he could not see them on account of total blindness was visibly effected and expressed his appreciation for the gift and call, which was one of the most pleasing events of the day.

The Commandery after bidding Sir Knight Curtis "good bye" proceeded to Rye Beach, and arriving at the Farragut House gave themselves up to the pleasures of the day and included a ball game, band concert and a good dinner served by "mine host" Carter of the Farragut.

A number of the Sir Knights took the opportunity to take a ride over to the Wentworth House, Newcastle to make a call on Haverhill and Pilgrim Commanderies who were stopping at that hotel celebrating the day, some of the Sir Knights of Haverhill Commandery later returning the call.

After having a delightful time the Commandery left at about 5 to 5.30 oclock reaching home about 6.^{oo} everybody happy.

Commandery closed

Attest:
Harry W. Bayley
Recorder.

Newburyport, Mass., Sept. 16. 1915

The Annual Conclave of Newburyport Commandery was held at the Asylum this evening.

Present	Em. Sir	Joseph N. Dummer	E.C.
	"	Samuel L. Porter	G.
	"	Irving S. Butler	C.G.
	"	Albert H. Cheney	S.W.
	"	Charles F. Pillsbury	J.W.
	Em "	Moses Brown	P.
	"	Edward E. Hicken	T.
	"	Harry W. Bayley	R.
	"	Charles A. Stockman	St.B.
	"	Albert H. Reynolds	Sw.B.
	"	Fred W. Piper	W.
	"	Alfred W. Kimball	Third Guard
	"	Oscar H. Nelson	Second "
	"	Charles W. Perry Jr	Asst. "
	"	Fred W. Chandler	" "
	"	Arthur P. Marden	M.L.
	"	Frank H. Rundlett	S.

also Em Sir William R. Johnson
" " Gerry Davis
" " Orrin J. Gurney
" " George E. Collins
" " Benjamin Pearson
" " Henry W. Little

and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery.

A.J. Anderson, H.T. Ames, A.H. Berry,
L. Berry, J.M. Bailey, H.C. Bates.
C.W. Cooke, L.B. Cheney, J.W. Clark
H.E. Dodge, D.H. Elkins, J.T. Elliott,
Wm Ford, S.J. Ford, E.F.A. Hall,
C.E. Ives, J.L. Jacoby, J.T. Litch,
F.L. Lattime, J.H. Johnston, F.O. Moore,

C.D. Montgomery, R.W. Nelson, H. S. Noyes,
E.M. Osgood, John Pow, R. G. Patten,
F. E. Page, Isaac Poor, C. L. Perkins,
A. F. Swain, F. M. Swett, A. P. Wilson.

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars.

The records of the Stated Conclave of June 17 and Special Conclave of June 24 were read and declared approved.

A letter of thanks was received from Sir Knight John A. Douglass for flowers sent him St. John's Day.

A letter of thanks was received from Mrs J. Eugene Fowle for sympathy and flowers on the occasion of the decease of her husband Sir Knight J. E. Fowle.

A letter was received from the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Massachusetts expressing thanks for the contribution of $25.00 for the "Rainy Day Fund" in aid of the Masonic Home.

A request for a dimit was received from Sir Kt. Warren W. Pillsbury.

On motion of Em. Sir Pearson it was voted that the matter be left with the Council and if it is a question of dues which as caused Sir Kt. Pillsbury to ask for a dimit, that he be informed that it is the desire of the Commandery he should remain a member without paying dues.

The following application for the Orders was received.

Application Hiram Pearson Macintosh

Companion Hiram Pearson Macintosh, Newburyport.
Born in Newburyport, May 31. 1888.
Raised in St. John's Lodge
Exalted " King Cyrus Chapter
Member of St. John's Lodge and King Cyrus Chapter
Has once been rejected by Newbury port Commandery

Recommended and vouched for by Sirs Chas. A. Stockman and Harry W. Bayley and referred to a committee consisting of Em. Sirs Geo. Davis & O. J. Gurney and Sir O.H. Nelson

The Eminent Commander stated that the Council had examined the books and accounts of the Treasurer and Recorder and found them correct.

The Recorder rendered the following report.

To the Eminent Commander, Officers and Sir Knights, of Newburyport Commandery:
I beg leave to render the following as the report of the Recorder for the year ending this date:

Membership.

Membership Sept. 17. 1914	Active	227	
	Honorary	4	
	Total		231
Candidates admitted		8	
Elected to Honorary membership		1	9
			240
Dimitted during year		2	
Died " "		5	7
Membership Sept. 16. 1915	Active	228	
	Honorary	5	233.

Receipts.

For Orders conferred	$400.	
" Back Dues	229.	
" Dues of 1915	522.	
" " " 1916	10.	
" Commandery Badges	14.	
" St. John's Day 1914	15.	
" " " 1915	360.	
" Miscellaneous	1.40	
Total receipts paid to Treasurer		$1551.40

Condition of Dues.

Dues unpaid Sept. 17. 1914	$521.		
" charged to " 30 1915	893.		
" " " Mar 31 1916	2		
" " " Sept 30 1916	8.	$1424.	
" unpaid at time of death	14.		
" paid during year	761.	775.	
" unpaid Sept. 16. 1915.		$649.	

Classification of unpaid Dues

3	Sir Knights owe	$1. each	$3.	
1	" " "	2 "	2.	
44	" " "	4 "	176.	
1	" " "	5 "	5.	
1	" " "	6. "	6.	
29	" " "	8. "	232.	
6	" " "	12 "	72.	
6	" " "	16 "	96.	
1	" " "	17 "	17.	
2	" " "	20 "	40	
94	" " "			$649.

Of the above, 46 Sir Knights owe five or more quarters dues each, amounting to $468.

Then followed the names of those Sir Knights who owe five or more quarters due.

Respectfully submitted
Harry W. Bayley
Recorder.

The Recorder then announced his intention of not being a candidate for reelection.

Voted that the report be accepted.

The Treasurer rendered the following report.

To the Eminent Commander, Officers and Members of Newburyport Commandery;

I submit the following as my report for the year ending Sept. 16. 1915.

Receipts

Cash on hand beginning of year	$161.45	
Received of H.W. Bayley, Rec.	1551.40	
Total		$1712.85

Expenditures

Per Capita Tax	$87.75	
Recorder's Salary	50.	
Rent, gas + telephone	157.71	
Postage	55.71	
Printing	113.75	
Flowers	45.50	
F.H. Rundlett, typing	30.05	
War Relief Fund	25.	
Shubert Quartet	32.20	
Commandery Badges	37.50	
Windsor Quartet	15.	
A.P. Marden, Organist	11.	
Trustees Permanent Fund	40.	
Rainy Day Fund	25.	
Deposited in 5¢ Sav. Bank	50.	
St John's Day expenses	364.80	
Miscellaneous items	12.40	
Total expenses		1457.19
Bal. on hand First Natl Bank		$255.66
On deposit Five Cents Sav. Bank		1022.42
Total funds in hands of Treasurer		$1278.08

Respectfully submitted
(signed) Edward E. Hicken, Treas.

Voted that the report of the Treasurer be accepted.

On motion of Em. Sir Johnson it was voted that the sum of $50.00 (or more if Council feel we can afford it) be transferred to the Permanent Fund.

Em Sir Geo. Davis rendered the following as the report of the Trustees of Permanent Fund.

Balance last year	$1022.19	
Deposited	40.	
Interest	40.98	
Balance in 5¢ Savings Bank		$1103.17

Voted that the report be accepted.

This being the time for election of officers the Eminent Commander appointed Em. Sirs Johnson, Gurney and Collins as a committee to receive, sort and count ballots:

Eminent Commander

Votes cast	51
Necessary for choice	26
Sir Samuel L. Porter had	50
" James H. Johnston "	1

and Sir Porter was declared elected and he accepted.

Generalissimo.

Votes cast	51
Sir James H. Johnston had	30
" Irving S. Butler "	21

and Sir Johnston was declared elected and he accepted

Captain General.

Votes cast	47
Sir Irving S. Butler had	30
" Albert K. Cheney "	15
" James H. Johnston "	1
" Harry W. Bayley "	1

and Sir Butler was declared elected and he declined the election but later accepted.

Senior Warden

Votes cast	43
Sir Albert K. Cheney had	43

and was declared unanimously elected and he accepted.

Junior Warden

Votes cast	40
Sir Charles F. Pillsbury had	40

and was declared unanimously elected and he accepted.

Treasurer

Votes cast	39
Sir Edward E. Hoskin had	39

and was declared unanimously elected and he accepted

Recorder

Votes cast	37
Necessary for choice	19
Sir Charles A. Stockman had	21
Em. " Henry W. Little "	16

and Sir Stockman was declared elected and he accepted.

Trustee of Permanent Fund 3 yrs

Votes cast	37
Necessary for choice	19
Em. Sir Henry W. Little had	20
" " George E. Collins "	13
" " William R. Johnson "	4
" Chas D. Montgomery "	1

and Em. Sir Little was declared elected and he accepted.

Sir Kt. A. K. Cheney stated that a committee had been appointed by St. John's Lodge to endeavor to devise ways and means for the purpose of installing a pipe organ and thought possibly the other Masonic Bodies might like to contribute towards that object.

Voted that the matter be left with the Council to report.

On motion of Em. Sir Davis it was voted that the Council procure a Past Commanders jewel for the retiring Commander, before the next Conclave.

On motion of Em. Sir Davis a rising vote of thanks was tendered to Sir Harry W. Bayley the retiring Recorder for his eminent service as Recorder for the past nine years.

Commandery closed
Attest!
Harry W. Bayley
Recorder

Newburyport, Mass. Oct. 6. 1915

A Special Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No 3. Knights Templars was convened at the Asylum at 1.30 o'clock this afternoon.

Present	Em. Sir	Joseph N. Dummer	E. C.
	"	Samuel L. Porter	G.
	"	Irving S. Butler	C. G.
	"	Charles F. Pillsbury	J. W.
	Em "	Moses Brown	P.
	"	Charles A. Stockman	R. pro tem.
	"	Albert H. Reynolds	Sw B.
	"	James H. Johnston	W. pro tem.
	"	Fred W. Chandler	Asst. Guard
	"	Arthur P. Marden	M. D.
	"	Frank H. Rundlett	S.

also Em Sir George E. Collins
and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery.

J. M. Bailey,
C. E. Davis,
H. M. George,
T. J. Maddock,
F. O. Morse,
C. L. Perkins,
E. M. Osgood,
P. E. Page.

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars.

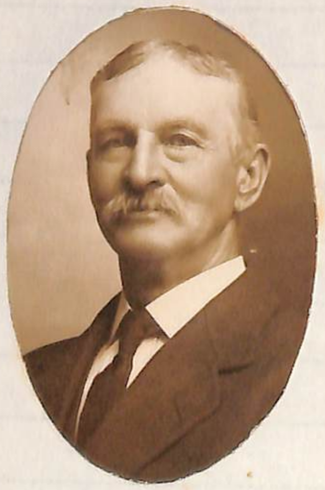
The Eminent Commander stated that this Special Conclave had been called for the purpose of attending the funeral of the late

Sir Knight Samuel J. Ford.

The lines were formed and the Commandery proceeded to the home of our late Sir Knight and escorted the remains to Odd Fellows Hall on Merrimac Street where services were held. and Newburyport Commandery rendered the beautiful Templar Burial Services: after which an address was given by Em. Sir William H. Ryder of Gloucester.

The remains were then conducted to Oak Hill Cemetery, Sir Knights James H Johnston Albert H. Reynolds, Arthur P. Marden and Fred E. Page acting as pall bearers.

Here the Committal Service was rendered by the Commandery and all that was mortal of our late friend and
Sir Knight Samuel J. Ford



was tenderly placed in its last resting place, there to remain "until the day breaks and the shadows flee away"

The Commandery then returned to the Asylum and the Sir Knights dismissed.

Attest!
signed Charles A. Stockman
Recorder pro tem.

Newburyport October 21 1915

A stated Conclave of Newburyport Commandery was convened at the Asylum this evening

Present	Em. Sir	Joseph N. Dummer	E.C.
	"	Samuel L. Porter	G.
	"	Irving S. Butler	C.G
	"	Albert K. Cheney	S.W.
	"	Charles F. Pillsbury	J.W
	"	Edward E. Hickey	T.
	"	Harry W. Bayley	R.
	"	Charles A. Stockman	Sr. B.
	"	Albert H. Reynolds	Swr. B.
	"	Fred W. Piper	W.
	"	Alfred W. Kimball	Third G.d
	"	Oscar H. Nelson	Second G.d
	"	Joseph B. G. Welch	First G.d
	"	Charles W. Perry Jr.	Asst. G.d.
	"	Fred. W. Chandler	"
	"	Arthur P. Marden	M.D.
	"	Frank H. Rundlett	S.

Also Em. Sir William R. Johnson
" " Green Davis
" " Orrin J. Gurney
" " B. J. Warton
" " George E. Collins

and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery

Wilbur Abbott
J. M. Bailey
H. C. Bates
Guy L. Bean
W. H. Bayley
J. W. Clark
C. W. Cooke
C. E. Davis
S. J. Dauphinee
G. H. Dorr
J. Elliott
W. Ford
W. Gillis
P. S. Galuzian
C. F. A. Hall
G. A. Johnson
A. S. Jewell
R. J. McKinney
C. D. Montgomery
F. O. Moore
R. W. Nelson
H. S. Noyes
E. M. Osgood
F. E. Page
John Porr and C. L. Perkins

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars Charles. W. Perry Jr. acting as Prelate

The records of the Annual Conclave of Sept. 16th and the Special Conclave of October 6th were read and declared approved

The following application for the Order was received Companion Harold Forsyth Lunt

Application
Harold
Forsyth
Lunt

Born in Newburyport November 13 1889
Raised in St. Johns Lodge
Exalted in King Cyrus Chapter
Member of St. Johns Lodge and King Cyrus Chapter
Has never been rejected by any Commandery

Recommended by Sirs. A.P. Marden I.S. Butler and C.F.A. Hall and referred to a committee consisting of Em. Sir G.E. Collins. Sirs G.A Johnson and Ralph. W Nelson

Hiram R-
Pearson
Macintosh

The committee to whom the application of Hiram Pearson Macintosh was referred reported a ballot was ordered and he was declared rejected

It was voted that a page of the records be dedicated to the memory of our late Sir Knight. James. Eugene Fowle also one to Sir Knight Samuel J. Ford

The Masonic Records of the Sir Knights were read by the Recorder

Em. Sir H. Bert Knowles was escorted to the head of the lines for the purpose of installing the officers. he was assisted by Em. Sir Joseph. N Dummer as Grand Marshall

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At the conclusion of installation of Em. Sir Samuel L. Porter as Eminent Commander that officer made his appointments and the following elective and appointed officers were installed

Sir	James H. Johnston	G.
"	Irving S. Butler	C.G
"	Albert. K. Cheney	S.W.
"	Charles F. Pillsbury	J.W
"	James W. Clark	Ass. Prelate
"	Edward E. Hickey	T.
"	Charles. A Stockman	R.
"	John Pow	St. B.
"	Albert. H. Reynolds	Sw. B
"	Fred. W. Piper	W.
"	Alfred W. Kimball	3rd Guard
"	Oscar. H. Nelson	2nd "
"	Joseph G.B. Welch	1st "
"	Frank H. Rundlett	Sentinel

The Prelate Em. Sir. Moses Brown was not present for installation. the Assistant Guards as appointed by the E.C. are Daniel A. Lunt. Chas. W. Perry Jr. and Fred W. Chandler. Musical Director A.P. Marden

After the usual proclamation of the Grand Warden was made Eminent Commander Porter took occasion to thank Em. Sir Knowles for the able and impressive manner in which it was performed and presented him with a badge of the Commandery he thanked him for the same and at this time addressed the Commandery with remarks well suited for the occasion
Em. Sir J. N. Dummer was then escorted to the East and presented a P.C. Jewel by E. Sir Knowles. he thanked the Commandery for the same, in a very able manner
There being no further business to bring before the Commandery it was closed with out form by Em. Sir Porter. and all invited to the banquet hall above

Attest Chas A. Stockman Recorder

In Memoriam

J. Eugene Fowle

Born November 22 1880

Saint Marks Lodge
A.F. and A.M.

Entered Apprentice	June 9 1902
Fellowcraft	May 14 1902
Master Mason	Oct. 13 1902

Kings Cyrus Chapter R.A.M

Mark Master	Dec. 11 1902
Past Master	May 14 1903
Most Excellent Master	June 12 1903
Royal Arch Mason	June 12 1903

Newburyport Commandery K.T.

Red Cross	Sept. 17 1903
Temple	Oct. 9 1903
Malta	Oct 9 1903

Died at Newburyport Mass
June 19th
1915

In Memoriam

Samuel J. Ford

Born June 12 1843

Saint Johns Lodge
A.F. and A.M.

Entered Apprentice	March 8 1895
Fellowcraft	April 5 1895
Master Mason	May 3 1895

King Cyrus Chapter R.A.M.

Mark Master	June 3 1895
Past Master	June 3 1895
Most Excellent Master	June 13 1895
Royal Arch Mason	June 14 1895

Newburyport Commandery K.T.

Red Cross	May 18 1905
Temple	May 19 1905
Malta	May 19 1905

Amesbury Council R&S Masters

Royal Master	January 24 1899
Select Master	March 17 1899
Super. Excellent Master	March 28 1899

Died October 2d 1915

Newburyport November 18 1915

A Stated Conclave of Newburyport Commandery was convened at the Asylum this evening

Present	Em. Sir	Samuel L. Porter	E C
	"	James H Johnston	G
	"	Irving S. Butler	C G
	"		S. W
	"	Charles F. Pillsbury	J W
	"	James. W. Clark	acs Prelate
	"	Charles A. Stockman	Sec
	"	John Pow	St. B
	"	Albert H. Reynolds	Sw. B
	"	Fred. W. Piper	W.
	"	Alfred W. Kimball	3rd G.
	"	Oscar H. Nelson	2nd G
	"	Joseph B. F. Welch	1st G
	"	Daniel A. Lunt	ant. G
	"	Fred W. Chandler	. G
	"	Arthur P. Marden	M. D
	"	Frank H. Rundlett	S..
	"	Chas. W. Perry Jr.	Asst. G.
Also	Em. Sirs	William R Johnson	
	" "	Green Davis	
	" "	George. E. Collins	
	" "	Henry W. Little	
	" "	Joseph N. Dummer	

And the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery

Wilbur Abbott
H. W. Bayley
W. H. Bayley
L. B. Cheney
C. E. Davis
S. J. Dauphinee
Wm. Ford

P. Galuzian
C. F. A. Hall
C. E. Ives
G. A. Johnson
F. P. Morse
R. W. Nelson
E. Osgood

F. E. Page
C. L. Perkins
A. F. Swain
J. W. Talbot
T. F. Walton

Visitor Sir Knight Emil Niemi of Springfield Commandery No 6 of Springfield Mass

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars

Records of the last Conclave October 21st were read and declared approved

General Orders No 1

Notice was received of the appointment of Eminent Sir Everett C. Benton Grand Senior Warden as Inspecting Officer of Newburyport Commandery

Official Circular No 1

Official Circular No 1 Series of 1915-1916 naming the Officers of the Grand Commandery and giving the total membership Sept. 30 1915 as being 18,385 was read

General Orders No 3 1915-1916 copy By-Laws to be sent to Grand Recorder

To the Eminent Commanders of the Subordinate Commanderies under the Jurisdiction of the Grand Commandery K. T. of Massachusetts and Rhode Island

Eminent and Dear Sir

It is my order that you cause to be forwarded to the Eminent Grand Recorder. Benjamin W Rowell Room 206 Masonic Temple Boston Mass on or before January 1. 1916. a copy of the By-Laws of your Commandery, together with the form of petition for the Orders used in your Commandery

Trusting that you will see that Order is obeyed immediately I am

Fraternally yours
(Signed) Frederick T Dana
Grand Commander

Attest
B. W. Rowell
Seal Grand Recorder

G. Orders No 2 The sentiment as prepared by the committee on Christmas Observance was also read

Reprint of By-Laws It was voted on motion of Em Sir W.R. Johnson seconded by Em. Sir G. E. Collins. that a reprint be made of the By-Laws and a roster of the members to date be included, and also that a sketch of the Commandery be included in the same to be left to the Council and Recorder for a committee

Ballot on Harold F. Lunt R. The committee to whom the application of Comp. Harold Forsyth Lunt was referred, reported a ballot was ordered and he was declared rejected

Eminent Sir Porter at this time spoke of the feebleness of Sir Knight Curtis of Amesbury, and of the friendly feelings he had towards the Sir Knights of this Commandery

Commandery Closed

Attest
Charles. A Stockman
Recorder

Newburyport December 16 1915

A Stated Conclave of Newburyport Commandery #3 was convened at the Asylum this evening

Present Em. Sir	Samuel L. Porter	E.C.
„	James H. Johnston	G.
„	Irving S. Butler	C.G.
„	Albert K. Cheney	S.W.
„	Chas. F. Pillsbury	J.W.
„	Chas. A. Stockman	R.
„	Albert H. Reynolds	S.B.
„	Arthur P. Marden	M.D.
„	Frank. H. Rundlett	Sentinel
„	Alfred W. Kimball	Third Guard

Also Em. Sir
Green Davis
and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery

Wilbur Abbott
George. W. Dow
Chas. E. Houghton
William McKay
Fred. E. Page
Albert F. Swain

John. M. Bailey
S. J. Dauphinee
Chas. E. Ives
E. M. Osgood
Isaac Poor
Tracy P. Walton

Visitor. Sir Knight John F. Howard. St. George of Beverly

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars

Record's of last Conclave November 18th were read. and declared approved

General Orders #2 Series 1915 - 1916 The sentiment prepared by the Committee on Christmas Observance of the Grand Encampment of the United States of America. and the response of the Acting Grand Master was read

Dues Sir Knight W.W. Pillsbury remitted

It was voted on motion of Em. Sir Green Davis that the dues of Sir Knight W. W. Pillsbury be remitted to Sept. 30 1916

There being no further business to come before the Commandery at this time.

Commandery was closed by Em. Sir Samuel L. Porter

Attest
Charles. A. Stockman
Recorder

Newburyport. December 25 1915

A Special Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No 3 K.T. was convened at the Asylum at 11-30 o'clock to day for the purpose of Christmas Observance

Present Em. Sir Samuel L. Porter E.C.
" James H. Johnston G.
" Irving S. Butler C.G.
" Albert K. Cheney S.W.
" Charles P. Pillsbury J.W
" Charles A. Stockman R.
" John Pow St. B–
" Albert. H. Reynolds S.W.B.
" Fred. W. Piper W.–
" Alfred W. Kimball Third Guard
" Oscar H. Nelson Secnd "
" Fred. W. Chandler Asst. "
" Arthur P. Marden M.D.
" Frank H. Rundlett Sentinel

Also Em. Sirs. W. R. Johnson
Green Davis
Charles. F. Worthen
William G. Fisher
Benjamin Pearson
Henry W. Little

and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery #3

Arthur J. Anderson
Antonio Barboro
Harold A. Besse
Stanley Besse
Harry + W. Bayley
Phillip H. Bollman
John M. Bailey
John W. Buswell
Horace E. Carlisle
Lawrence B. Cheney
Charles W. Cooke +
Stephen J. Dauphinee
James Black

Clemens E. Davis
George. H. Dow.
John P. Elliott
Irving A. French
William Gillis
Charles. E. Houghton
Joseph. L. Jacoby
Moody Kimball
John. E. Lunt
John P. Litch
Charles. D. Montgomery
Matthew H. McKinney +
Henry J. Noyes. +
Harold S. Noyes.
Warren W. Pillsbury
Walter. B. Rogers.
Frank. M. Swett
Leonard W. Sargent
James H. Walker
Robert H. Wilde
Frederick B. Wiley +

William G. Dodge
John. Elliott
John W. Foster
James. W Gurney
Frank M. Hoyt
Charles. E Ives
Greenleaf A Johnson
William P. Lovell
Frank L. Lattime
Morton B. Merrill
Robert. J. McKinney +
William McKay
Ralph. W Nelson
Augustus N. Parry +
Fred. E. Page
William J Riley
Charles R. Scott
John. W Talbot
Arthur A. H. Whelpley +
Tracey F. Walton +

Visitors

Sir Knight	W. A. F. DeVerber	Boston Com. #2	Boston
" "	D. F. Horne	St. George " #44	Beverly
" "	A. F. Beaudrip	Apollo "	Troy. N.Y.
" "	Emil Niemi	Springfield " #6	Springfield
" "	James. H. Brown	De Witt Clinton	Portsmouth N.H.
" "	J. Warren Brown	"	" "
" "	Romie E. Eaton	"	" "
" "	George B. Wright	St. Paul Com.	Dover "
" "	William W. Woosnam	Trinity "	Manchester "

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars

Eminent Commander Samuel L. Porter stated that this Conclave was called in compliance to the request of the R. E. Grand Commander for the "Observance of Christmas".

Promptly at twelve o'clock the Eminent Commander read the sentiment prepared by the Committee on Christmas Observance to the Acting Grand Master R. E. Sir Lee. L. Smith

This was responded to by the Recorder reading the response of the Acting Grand Master

The Eminent Commander then offered the following toast to R. E. Grand Commander Frederick I Dana.

Christmas and New Year Greetings from the Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery #3. "May your administration be crowned with the highest degree of success."

The next toast was to
"All Valiant and Magnanimous Knights Templars wherever dispersed"
and was offered by the Generallisimo

The Captain General then proposed the following
To the memory of our deceased Sir Knights
and the Recorder read

The names of the Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery #3 who have passed away since our last Christmas Observance.

Em. Sir Moody B. Noyes
January 1st 1915

Sir Knight Irvin Besse
March 10 1915

Sir Knight George H. Stevens
May 8, 1915

Sir Knight J. Eugene Fowle
June 19 1915

Sir Knight Samuel J. Ford
October 2 1915

Toasts were then proposed to

The health. Prosperity and Happy New Year to our senior Past Commander William R. Johnson.

To all Past Commanders

To the memory of those who have gone before. and those detained by sickness

To Sir Knight Curtis of Amesbury

To the health of Em. Sir Brown

To the prosperity and recovery from the loss by the burning of the Home of our Senior Warden Albert K. Chesley

The following resolution was offered by Em. Sir Green Davis. and seconded by Em. Sir William R. Johnson. Be it resolved. that it is the sense of the Sir Knights here assembled. that Newburyport. Com. #3. purchase from the "Society for the Relief of Aged Men". a life membership to their home. for Sir Knight John W. Talbot. and that the same be brought before the next regular Conclave for action. which was unanimously carried.

Christmas Greetings were received from the following:

St. Johns Commandery	#1	Providence	R.I.
Washington	#4	Newport	R.I.
Worcester County	#5	Worcester	Mass
Springfield	#6	Springfield	"
De Molay	#7	Boston	"
Holy Sepulchre	#8	Pawtucket	R.I.
Pilgrim	#9	Lowell	Mass
Palestine	#10	Chelsea	"
Milford	#11	Milford	"
St. Bernard	#12	Boston	"
Calvary	#13	Providence	R.I.
Haverhill	#14	Haverhill	Mass
Old Colony	#15	Abington	"
Sutton	#16	New Bedford	"
Bethany	#17	Lawrence	"
Winslow Lewis	#18	Salem	"
Jerusalem	#19	Fitchburg	"
Hugh de Payens	#20	Melrose	"
St. Omer	#21	Dorchester	"
Connecticut Valley	#23	Greenfield	"
Woonsocket	#24	Woonsocket	R.I.
Godfrey de Bouillon	#25	Fall River	Mass
Joseph Warren	#26	Roxbury	"
Narragansett	#27	Westerly	R.I.
William Parkman	#28	East Boston	Mass
Bristol	#29	Attleboro	"

Northampton	Commandery	#30 Northampton	Mass
South Shire	"	#31 E. Weymouth	"
Natick	"	#33 Natick	"
Coeur de Lion	"	#34 Charlestown	"
Gethesemane	"	#35 Newtonville	"
Olivet	"	#36 Lynn	"
Athol	"	#37 Athol	"
Bay State	"	#38 Brockton	"
Saint Paul	"	#40 North Adams	"
Bauseant	"	#41 Malden	"
Cambridge	"	#42 Cambridge	"
Orange	"	#45 Orange	"
Ivanhoe	"	#46 Gardner	"
Quincy	"	#47 Quincy	"
De. Witt Clinton	"	Portsmouth	N.H.
Pilgrim	"	Laconia	"
Mount Horeb	"	Concord	"
Saint Paul	"	Dover	"
Portland	"	#2 Portland	Me
Bradford	"	#4 Biddeford	"
Saint Albans	"	#8 Portland	"

Lee L. Smith acting Grand Master
William H. Emerson " Generallissimo
Everett C Benton " Sen. Warden
Benjamin W. Rowell " Recorder
Asa C. Jewett " Sword Bearer
Henry W. Clark Honorary Member Newburyport #3

After a social hour was passed the Commandery was closed by the Eminent Commander and the Sir Knights were dismissed

Attest
Charles. A Stockman
Recorder

Newburyport. January 2d 1916

A Special Conclave of Newburyport Commandery Knights Templars No 3 was convened at the Asylum at 1 o'clock this afternoon

Present Em. Sir	Samuel L. Porter	E.C.
"	James H. Johnston	G.
"	Irving S. Butler	C.G.
"	Albert K. Cheney	S.W
"	Charles. F. Pillsbury	J.W
"	James. W. Clark	Ass. Prelate
"	Charles. A. Stockman	Recorder
"	Fred. W. Piper	Warder
"	Alfred W. Kimball	Third Guard
"	Daniel A. Lunt	ast. "
"	Fred. W. Chandler	" "
"	Frank. H. Rundlett	Sentinel

also Eminent Sirs,
William R. Johnson
Green Davis
Benjamin Pearson
Henry W. Little

and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery #3

Wilbur Abbott
James Black
Peter. S. Galuzian
Fred E. Page
Albert P. Swain
Herbert. C. Bates
Ralph Elliott
Charles. D. Montgomery
Frank Richardson
Frederick. D. Wylie

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars

The Captain General stated that this Special Conclave was convened for the purpose of attending the funeral of the late Em. Sir Benjamin J. Warton as an escort to St Johns Lodge

The lines were formed and Commandery escorting St. Johns Lodge proceeded to the home of our late Em. Sir. the remains were then escorted to Saint Pauls Church where the services were held. An address was given by by Em Sir William H Ryder of Gloucester After which St Johns Lodge rendered the Burial Service

The procession was reformed and the remains under the charge of St. Johns Lodge were escorted to Oak Hill Cemetery.

Em. Sirs William R. Johnson. Green Davis Benjamin Pearson and Henry W. Little acted as Honorary Pall Bearers

The Commandery then returned to the Asylum and the Sir Knights were dismissed

Attest
Charles. A Stockman
Recorder

Newburyport January 20th 1916

A regular Conclave of Newburyport Commandery Knights Templars No 3 was convened at 7-30 o'clock this evening at the Asylum.

Present	Em. Sir Samuel L. Porter	E.C.
	" James H. Johnston	G.
	" Irving S Butler	C.G.
	" Albert K. Cheney	S.W.
	" Chas. A. Stockman	R.—
	" John Pow.	St. B.
	" Albert H. Reynolds	S. B.
	" Fred. W. Piper	W.
	" Chas. W. Perry.	Asst. Guard
	" Fred. W. Chandler	" "
	" Arthur P. Marden	M. D.
	" Frank H. Rundlett	S.

Em. Sirs Green Davis. George E. Collins. Henry W. Little
and the following members of Newburyport Commandery No 3

John. M. Bailey
Peter S. Galuziani
Matthew H. McKinney
Harold S. Noyes
Fred. E. Page
Tracy F. Walton

Stephen J. Dauphinee
Robert. J. McKinney
Ralph. H. Nelson
Edward M. Osgood
Norman Russell
Arthur A. H. Whelpley

Visitors
Sir Knight D. T. Horne St. George Com. Beverly Mass
" " Emil Niemi Springfield " Springfield "

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars

Records of last regular and special Conclaves read, and declared approved,

It was voted that a page of the Records be set aside for our late Sir Knight William H. Ferren, also one for our late Em. Sir Benjamin J. Warton

It was unanimously voted on motion of the Recorder that an admission be purchased from The Society of Aged Men, of this city, to their home for Sir Knight John. W. Talbot at a cost of $100.00

It was voted that a committee of three, the Council named as that Committee, inquire into the expediency of celebrating St. Johns Day, and also the way, and means of so doing.

The Masonic Records of Em. Sir Benjamin J Warton, and Sir Knight William H. Ferren who had passed away since our last regular Conclave were read by the recorder.

There being no further business to bring before the Commandery, it was closed by Em Sir Samuel L. Porter

Albert Charles A. Stockman
Recorder

In Memoriam

Benjamin J. Warton
Born in Birmingham England
March 16 1859

St. Johns Lodge A.F. & A.M.

Enterd Apprentice	June 6 1889
Fellowcraft,	August 1 1889
Master Mason	September 5 1889

Worshipful Master 1902 – 1903
District Deputy Grand Master of the Ninth Masonic District 1907 – 1908

King Cyrus Chapter R.A.M.

Mark Master Mason	Nov. 13 1889
Past Master	Nov. 13 1889
Most Excellent Master	Dec. 12 1889
Royal Arch Mason	Dec. 18 1889

Amesbury Council R & S.M.

Royal Master	Feb. 24 1891
Select Master	Mch. 24 1891
Super Excellent Master	June 12 1891

Newburyport Commandery K.T.

Red Cross	Jan. 16 1890
Temple	Mch. 16 1890
Malta	Mch. 16 1890

Eminent Commander Sept 1901 to September 1903

Died in Newburyport Mass
Dec. 31 1915

In Memoriam

William H. Ferren.
Born in Boston Mass.
September 12 1857

St. Marks Lodge A.F. and A.M.

Entered Apprentice	Feb. 14 1901
Fellowcraft	Feb. 19 1901
Master Mason	Mch. 19 1901

Trinity Chapter R.A.M. Amesbury

Mark Master Mason	Jan. 13 1902
Past Master	Jan 13 1902
Most Excellent Master	Feb. 10 1902
Royal Arch Mason	Mch. 10 1902

Amesbury Council Royal + Select Masters

Royal Master	Mch 24 1902
Select Master	Apr. 28 1902
Super. Excellent Master	May 26 1902

Newburyport Commandery K.T's
#3

Red Cross	Apr. 17 1902
Temple	Apr. 24 1902
Malta	May 15 1902

Died January 10 1916
Framingham Ctr. Mass

Newburyport February 17 1916

A stated Conclave of Newburyport Commandery was convened at the Asylum this evening

Present	Em. Sir	Samuel L. Porter	E.C.
	"	James. H. Johnston	G.
	"	Irving S. Butler	C.G.
	"	Albert. K. Cheney	S.W.
	"	James. W. Clark	Ass. P.
	"	Charles. A Stickman	R.
	"	John Pow	St. B.
	"	Albert H. Reynolds	Sw. B.
	"	Fred. W. Piper	W.
	"	Alfred W. Kimball	3rd G.
	"	Oscar H. Nelson	2nd G.
	"	Joseph B.G. Welch	1st G.
	"	Daniel A Lunt	Asst. G.
	"	Arthur P. Marden	M.D.
	"	Frank H. Rundlett	S.

also Em. Sir William R. Johnson Green Davis and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery +

John. E. Baumgartner
George H. Dow.
Chas. F. A. Hall
Chas. D. Montgomery
Fred E. Page +
Laurence B. Cheney +
William Gillis
Charles. E. Houghton
William McKay
Arthur A. H. Whelpley +

Visitor
Sir Knight Emil Niemi Springfield Com. Springfield

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars

Records of last regular Conclave read. and approved.

Communications from Bro. Carl P. Warton Em. Sir Charles F. Worthen. and Mrs J. A Douglass were read and ordered filed.

The following petition for the Order was received.

Petition of Companion William Frank Merrill

Companion William Frank Merrill
Born in Newburyport Mass August 26 1887
Occupation Insurance
Member of. Saint Johns Lodge and King Cyrus Chapter.
Recommended and vouched for by Em. Sir Samuel L. Porter. Sirs James. H. Johnston. Irving S. Butler and Chas. A. Stockman. and referred to a committee consisting of Em Sir Henry W. Little and Sirs Albert H. Reynolds Albert P. Swain

The Council reported that a number had settled their indebtedness. and that letters had been sent. to the delinquents. and others were to be personally interviewed.

An informal talk was made in regard to celebrating St. Johns Day. and it was voted that the Council formulate several plans, to be presented to the Commandery at the next Meeting and that it be borne on the notice. that a discussion would be in order. in regard to the same.

It was voted on motion of Sir. Arthur P. Marden. that a page of this records be set aside for the Memory of our late Sir Knight John A. Douglass of Amesbury

The Commandery was closed by Em. Sir Porter. after which a rehearsal of the Order of the Red Cross. was held.

Attest Charles. A Stockman
Recorder

In Memoriam

John H. Douglass.
Born October 20 1829

Warren Lodge A.F. & A.M.

Entered Apprentice	September 28, 1875
Fellow craft	October 27, 1875
Master Mason	December 15, 1875

Trinity Chapter. R.A.M.

Mark Master Mason	March 26 1877
Past Master	March 26 1877
Most Excellent Master	April 23 1877
Royal Arch Mason	June 18 1877

Amesbury Council, R & S. M

Royal Master	March 27 1894
Select Master	April 24 1894
Super Excellent Master	May 22 1894

Newburyport Commandery K.T.

Red Cross	April 29 1886
Temple	May 20 1886
Malta	May 26 1886

Died February 4 1916

Newburyport March 16 1916

A stated Conclave of Newburyport Commandery was convened at the Asylum this evening

Present Em. Sir	Samuel L. Porter	E.C.
"	James H. Johnston	G
"	Irving S. Butler	C.G.
"	Albert K. Cheney	S.W
"	James W. Clark	Ass. P
"	Chas. A. Stockman	R.
"	John Pow	St. B
"	Fred. W. Piper	W.
"	Alfred. W. Kimball	3rd G
"	Joseph B. G. Welch	1st G
"	Daniel A. Lunt	Asst. G
"	Chas. W. Perry Jr.	" "
"	Fred. W. Chandler.	" "
"	Arthur P. Marden	M.D.
"	Frank H. Rundlett	S.
"	Charles P. Pillsbury	J.W.

also Em. Sirs Green Davis, Ervin J. Gurney, George E. Collins. and Henry W. Little

and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery.

Wilbur Abbott, Antonio Barbosa, John M. Bailey
Lawrence B. Cheney, Clement E. Davis, James W. Gurney
Chas. P. A. Hall, Fred. E. Page, Norman Russell

Visitors
Sir. Kt. Romie. E. Eaton DeWitt Clinton Com. Portsmouth N.H.
" " John P. Howard St. George Com. Beverly Mass

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars.

Records of last Conclave, read and being found Correct, were declared approved.

The following application for the Order was received.

Companion Albert Pitcomb Atkinson Newburyport
Application Born in Newburyport. August 25, 1888,
Occupation Foreman.
Albert Member of St. Marks Lodge and King Cyrus Chapter
Pitcomb Recommended by Sir Knights. Albert H Reynolds
Atkinson Charles. D. Montgomery. Frederick. B. Wiley and
Charles. A. Stockman, and referred to Em. Sir
Green Davis, Sirs Harry W. Bayley and Fred. W Chandler

Companion Per Nelson Amesbury Mass
Application Born in Hastveda Sweden July 11 1875
Occupation Draughtsman
Per Member of Warren Lodge and Trinity Chapter
Nelson Recommended by Em. Sir George E. Collins and
Sir Knights James. W Gurney. James W. Clark
and Edward M. Osgood. and referred to Em. Sir
Henry W. Little and Sirs Frank M. Swett and C. E.
Davis

The committee to whom was referred the
accepted application of William Frank Merrill
W. F. Merrill reported favorably. a ballot was ordered
elected and he was declared elected to receive the
Order of Knighthood as conferred by Newburyport
Commandery

It was voted on motion of Em. Sir H. W. Little that the Council be allowed two months to make a definite report on delinquents.

The Em. Commander reported for the Council

that it was thought best to entertain a Commandery. and that the probable cost would be $12. and that Dover Commandery. St. Paul of Dover. N. H be the one to be invited.

Em. Sir. Collins moved that we celebrate St. Johns Day and that St Paul Commandery of Dover N. H. be invited to be our guests. after some little discussion. the vote was taken and the motion declared lost.

There being no further business to bring before the Commandery it was closed by Em. Sir Porter

Attest Charles. A. Stockman
Recorder

Newburyport April 20 1916

A stated Conclave of Newburyport Commandery Knights Templar No 3 was convened at the asylum at 3-30 oclock P.M.

Present	Em. Sir	Samuel L. Porter	E.C.
	"	James H Johnston	G
	"	Irving S. Rytler	C.G.
	"	Albert K. Cheney	S.W
	"	Chas. P. Pillsbury	J.W
	"	James W. Clark	Arc. P.-
	"	Edward E. Hicken	P.
	"	Chas. A Stockman	R.
	"	John Pow	St. B.
	"	Albert H. Reynolds	Sw. B
	"	Fred. W. Piper	W.
	"	Alfred W. Kimball	Thrd G.
	"	Oscar. H. Nelson	Sec G.
	"	Joseph B. G. Welch	Frst G.
	"	Daniel A. Lunt	asst G
	"	Chas. W. Perry Jr.	" "
	"	Fred. W. Chandler	" "
	"	Arthur P. Marden	M. D
	"	Frank H. Rundlett	S.

also	Em. "	William R. Johnson
	" "	Green Davis
	" "	Orrin J. Gurney
	" "	George E. Collins
	" "	Benjamin Pearson
	" "	Henry W. Little
	" "	Joseph N. Dummer

and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery

W. J. Anderson
W. Abbott
A. Barboro
J. M. Bailey
H. W. Bayley
H A. Besse
J. E. Baumgartner
H. C. Bates
Guy L. Bean
A H Berry
James Black
W. N. Brown
C. W. Cooke

G. H. Biddle
H. E Carlisle
L. B. Cheney
S. J Dauphinee
C. F. Dempsey
H. E Dodge
C. E. Davis
G. H. Dow
D. H. Elkins
J. P. Elliott
J. Elliott
W. Ford
S. D. Flanders

P. S. Galuzian
W Gillis
J. W Gurney
C. F. A. Hall
C. E. Houghton
A. M. Hoyt
C. E. Ives
G. A. Johnson
A. S. Jewell
J. E. Lunt
J. P. Litch
W. P. Lovell
M. B. Merrill

C. W. Montgomery
W. E. Moritt
F. O. Morse
G. W. Marquand
M. H. McKinney
R. J. McKinney
W. McKay
H. S. Noyes
H. J. Noyes
R. W. Nelson
E. M. Osgood
A. N. Parry
C. L. Perkins

Isaac Poor
G. E. Philbrook
A. G. Perkins
F. E. Page
J. A. Rowell
W. B. Rogers
W. J. Riley
N. Russell
F. M. Swett
L. W. Sargent
C. R. Scott
J. W. Talbot
G. W. Worcester

W. J. Webster
J. H. Wheeler
A. A. H. Whelpley
A. P. Wilson
F. D. Wiley
T. F. Walton
J. D. Holland

Visitors

Sir Charles F. Damon	St George Comd. #44	Beverly
" J. H Asbury	" "	"
" H. M. Wallis	" "	"
" J. F. Howard	" "	"
" D. R. Horne	" "	"
" F. W. Tilton	DeWitt Clinton Comd.	Portsmouth N.H.
" J. Warren Brown	" "	"
" James H Brown	"	"
" Ronnie E. Eaton	"	"
" S. R. Sands	Washington #4	Newport R.I.
" Jewell Boyd	Cambridge #42	Cambridge Mass
" Emil Niemi	Springfield #6	Springfield Mass
" Norton	Gethsemane #35	Newtonville Mass
" S. M. Douglass	Palestine #10	Chelsea Mass

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars.

The records of the previous Conclave was read and declared approved;

It was voted that the thanks of the Commandery be conveyed to Sir Knight Henry W. Clark for the beautiful flowers received at this Conclave

Communication from Sir Knight Wm Ford thanking the Commandery for the beautiful plant received on his birth-day was received and filed

Communication from the R. E. Grand Commander in regard to the Sir Knights having paid due bills for 1915–1916 as vouchers at the Grand Biennial Conclave at Los Angeles in June 1916. was ordered to be borne upon the next notice.

The following petition for Membership was received.

Petition Sir Chas. F. Damon for Membership

Charles Frederick Damon Ipswich Mass. Bookkeeper Boston Mass. Member of John T. Heard lodge. and Amity Chapter
Born in Ipswich Mass. August 3 1876.
and is a member of St. George Commandery #44 of Beverly Mass
Recommended by Sirs Harry. W. Bayley LeRoy Berry
Petition received. and referred to Sir Knights Jos. N. Dummer. Sirs. W. J. Riley and F. M. Burke

Comp. Per. Nelson elected

The committee to whom the petition of Comp. Per. Nelson was referred reported favorably a ballot was ordered. and he was declared elected to receive the Orders of Knighthood as conferred by Newburyport Commandery

Comp. Albert. P. Atkinson elected

The majority of the committee to whom the petition of Comp. Albert. Pitcomb Atkinson was referred made a favorable report a ballot was ordered. and he was declared elected to receive the Orders of Knighthood as conferred by Newburyport. Commandery

Red Cross

Business in the Commandery was suspended. and a Council of Illustrious Order of the Red Cross opened and the order was conferred upon

Per Nelson
A. P. Atkinson

Companion Per Nelson
" Albert. P. Atkinson

The Council of the Ill. order of the Red Cross

was closed. and business in the Commandery resumed, a recess was declared. and the Sir Knights invited to repair to Griffin Hall where the banquet was awaiting them after which. the Sir Knights returned to the asylum. and at 8-15 the Em. Commander. opened the Commandery

At this time Eminent Sir Wilbur S. Locke Deputy Grand Warden entered the Asylum and informed the Eminent Commander that,

Eminent Sir Everett C. Benton
Grand Senior Warden
of the
Grand Commandery of
Massachusetts and Rhode Island

was in an adjoining apartment in waiting to officially inspect Newburyport. Commandery

The Em. Commander informed the Deputy Grand Warden. that he recognized his authority. and would forthwith wait upon him with a committee, he appointed as that committee

Em. Sir William R. Johnson
" " Green Davis
" " Ervin J. Gurney
" " George E Collins
" " Benjamin Pearson
" " Henry W Little
" " Joseph N. Dummer

The committee retired to the ante-room

and returned escorting Em. Sir Benton and suite to the Asylum, and the inspecting officer was introduced to the Eminent Commander by Sir James H. Johnston Generalissimo.

The Eminent Commander extended to the Inspecting Officer the cordial greetings of the Commandery, who acknowledged to him that it was great pleasure to be received in such a cordial manner, and expressed to him the pleasure it gave him to be appointed as Inspecting Officer of Newburyport Commandery and presented to the Em. Commander the members of his Suite as follows:

R. Em Sir	Walter F. Medding	P.G. Com. of G. Com.	Mass & R.I.
R. " "	A Melvin Foss	" " " "	New Hamps.
" "	George W. Knowlton	G. Lec. " "	Mass & R.I.
" "	Herbert F. Sawyer,	E.C. St Omer Com.	#21
" "	Harry W Kellogg	" " Conn. Valley "	#23
" "	Enos D. Williams	" " Bristol "	#29
" "	Erwin A Eastman	" " Coeur de Leon "	#34
" "	M. W. Anthony	" " De Witt Clinton	Com.
" "	Arthur A South	" " St. George Com.	#44
"	Sandford Crandon Jr.	G. Hugh de Payens "	#20
"	Chas. W. Pike	G. St Omer "	#21
"	James A Gunn Jr.	G. Conn. Valley "	#23
"	Harry E. Stilphen	G. Olivet "	#36
"	Frank R. Starkey	G. St. George "	#44
"	William B. Randall	G. De Witt Clinton	Com.
"	Frederick W. Pannee	C.G. Palestine Com.	#10
"	Edgar S. Rideout	C.G. St George "	#44
Em. "	W. N. Rugg	P.C. De Witt Clinton	Com
" "	G. B Lord	P.C. " "	"
"	Ralph W. Jenkins	C.G. " "	"
" "	Geo. S. Skinnocks	P.C. St George Com.	#44

And Em. Sir Wilbur S. Locke Past Commander of Saint Bernard Commandery #12 as Deputy Grand Warden

The Eminent Commander then escorted Em. Sir Benton to the head of the Commandery who at once commenced his official duties by requesting the Dep. Grand Warden to make the official count: the result was as follows

Members of Newburyport Commandery in Regalia	74
" " " " not "	8
Visitors (exclusive of Suite)	25
Suite	22
Total	129

The Charter, records, and By-Laws, together with Rituals of the Red Cross, Temple & Malta #5253
" " " " " #2843-#2844 #4152
" " Prelate #427
were duly examined

The Em. Commander then resumed his station at the head of the Commandery

Red Cross
on
W. Frank
Merrill

Business in the Commandery was suspended, and a Council of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross was opened, and the Order was conferred upon
Companion William Frank Merrill

At the Conclusion of the work the Council was closed, and business in the Commandery resumed and the Sir Knights were favored with addresses by Em. Sir Benton
R. E. Sir Walter F. Medding P.G.C
" " " A. Melvin Foss P.G.C. of New Hampshire
" " M. W. Anthony E.C. De Witt Clinton Com.

Em. Commander Samuel L. Porter presented to Em. Sir Everett C. Benton a badge of Newburyport Commandery suitably engraved as a souvenir of the occasion, also one to Em. Sir. Wilbur C Locke Deputy Grand Warden

Em. Sir Benton announced at this time his desire to retire with his Suite. the committee was assembled, and the Inspecting Officer was escorted to the ante-room

There being no further business to bring before the Commandery. it was closed without form. and the Sir Knights dismissed

Attest
Chas. A Stockman
Recorder.

Official Count

Members in regalia	74
" not " "	8
Visitors exc. of Suite	25
Suite	22
Ins. Officer	1
total	130

Newburyport May 18 1916

A stated Conclave of Newburyport Commandery was convened at the Asylum this evening

Present	Em. Sir	Samuel L. Porter	E.C
	" "	Henry W. Little (Pro Tem)	G
	"	Irving S. Butler	C.G.
	"	Albert K. Cheney	S.W
	"	Charles P. Pillsbury	J.W
	"	James W. Clark	Ass. P.
	"	Charles A Stockman	R.
	"	John Pow	St. B.
	"	Fred. W. Piper	W.
	"	Alfred W. Kimball	3rd G.
	"	Daniel A Lunt	Asst. G
	"	Fred W. Chandler	" G.
	"	Arthur P. Marden	M.D.
	"	Frank H. Rundlett	S.

also Em. Sir William R. Johnson
" Green Davis

and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery No 3

Herbert C. Bates
William Gillis
James W. Gurney
Chas. P. A. Hall
Matthew J. McKinney
Ralph W. Nelson
Fred C. Page

Lawrence B. Cheney
Peter S. Galuzian
Chas. E. Houghton
Joseph L. Jacoby
Chas. D. Montgomery
Harold S. Noyes
Arthur A. H. Whelpley

Visitor
Sir Knight Emil Niemi Springfield #6 Springfield Mass

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars

Records of last regular Conclave. read. and approved.

The following applications for the Order of Knighthood were received.

Application of C.A. Jones

Companion Charles Alven Jones. Newburyport
Born in Rochester, N.H. June 6 1880
Residence 17 Essex St. Newburyport
Place of business. Newburyport. 5 State St
Occupation Restaurant Keeper
Member of St Marks Lodge and King Cyrus Chapter
Recommeded and vouched for by Sir Knights
Chas. D. Montgomery. Albert K Cheney and
Chas. A Stockman. and referred to a committee consisting of Em. Sir W.R. Johnson and
Sirs Chas. W. Perry. James W. Clark

Application of E.R. Ayer Jr.

Companion Edward Russell Ayer Jr.
Born in Newburyport October 17 1892
Residence Newburyport Mass
Place of business " "
Occupation Dep. Sheriff and Keeper of Jail.
Member of St. Johns Lodge and King Cyrus Chapter
Recommended and vouched for by Em. Sir William
R. Johnson and Sirs I.S. Butler. C.D. Montgomery
and Chas. F. A. Hall. referred to a committee
consisting of Em. Sir George. E Collins and Sirs C.F.
Pillsbury Fred. W. Piper

Application of F. V. Brown

Companion Frank Varina Brown. Salisbury
Born in Newburyport April 5 1873
Residence Salisbury Mass
Place of business Newburyport Mass.
Occupation Jeweler
Member of St John Lodge and King Cyrus Chapter
Recommeded and vouched for by Sirs F. W. Piper. A K Cheney
Chas. F. A. Hall and C. A. Stockman

Referred to a committee consisting of Em. Sir C.J. Gurney and Sirs. C.H. Nelson Irving A French.

Application of E.F. Noyes

Companion Edgar. Francis Noyes. Newburyport.
Born in Newburyport June 12 1877
Residence Newburyport Mass.
Occupation Bank Teller
Place of business Newburyport Mass
Member of St. Johns Lodge and King Cyrus Chapter
Recommended and vouched for by Em. Sir W.R. John-son and Sirs I.S. Butler. C.D. Montgomery F. W. Piper
Referred to a committee consisting of Em. Sir Green Davis, and Sirs. Chas. F. A. Hall Fred W. Chandler

Application of Carl C Emery

Companion Carl Clinton Emery Newburyport
Born in Haverhill Mass. November 4 1888
Residence #58 Federal St. Newburyport. Mass
Occupation Grocer
Place of business 58 Federal St. "
Member of St. Johns Lodge and King Cyrus Chapter
Recommended by Em. Sirs Henry W. Little. Moses Brown and Sirs F. W. Piper and C. E. Houghton
Referred to a Committee. consisting of Em Sir. W.G. Fisher. & Sir Harold S. Noyes and Joseph L. Jacoby

The following dispensation was received.

Office of the R. E. Grand Commander
General Orders #3 Series 1915-1916 } #86 Weybosset Street Providence R.I.

Dispensation for St. John Day

To the Eminent Commander. Officers and Sir Knights of the jurisdiction of Massachusetts. and Rhode Island:

Greeting:

In order that the several Commanderies of this jurisdiction may observe the anniversary of St. Johns Day by a Pilgrimage or Field Day, I, by virtue of the power in me vested as the Grand Commander of the Grand Commandery of Massachusetts and Rhode Island, hereby grant this my dispensation authorizing the Commanderies throughout this jurisdiction to parade within this jurisdiction in full Templar uniform, with or without banners and music, during the period between and including the first and the thirtieth days of June 1916 for the purpose of celebrating the anniversary of St. Johns Day, making fraternal visitations or for other purposes

Due and proper return to be made to me of the action had under this authority within thirty days of its acceptance, and this dispensation filed in the archives of the Commandery and spredd in full upon the records

Given under my hand, and the seal of the Grand Commandery this eighteenth day of May. A.D. 1916. A.O. 798

(signed) Frederick I. Dana
Grand Commander

(seal) attest
B. W. Rowell
Grand Recorder

Sir C.F. Damon elected to Membership

The committee to whom the application of Sir Chas. F. Damon of Ipswich for Membership was referred, reported favorably. a ballot was ordered and he was declared elected to membership in Newburyport Commandery

Council reported on the matter of delinquents that more than half of the number had paid up their indebtedness, and asked for further time for remaining ones with the exceptions of Sir Knights W. Scott Johnson and Gorham D. Rogers which was granted

It was voted that on the two Sir Knights before mentioned, that action be taken on their suspension for Non payment of dues at the next regular Conclave

Em. Sir Porter spoke of being at the Annual Conclave of the Grand Commandery at Providence on May 11th and among the matters brought before them, was a proposition to erect a tablet bearing the name of Providence Commandery #1 and Boston Commandery #2 as being the organizers of the Grand Encampment. he said he took occasion to remind them that Newburyport Commandery No 3 was also included in that organization

The work of the Order of Temple was then taken up, and upon

Temple
W.F. Merrill
A.T. Atkinson
Per Nelson

Companions William. Frank. Merrill.
Albert. Titcomb. Atkinson.
Per. Nelson.
the order was conferred.

Commandery closed

Attest
Charles. A Stockman
Recorder

Newburyport June 15 1916

A stated Conclave was convened of Newburyport Commandery #3 at the Asylum this evening

Present

Em. Sir	Samuel L. Porter	E.C.
"	James H. Johnston	G
"	Irving S. Butler	C.G.
"	Albert K. Cheney	S.W
"	Charles P. Pillsbury	J.W.
"	James W. Clark.	As. P.
"	Charles A. Stockman	R
"	John Pow	Sr. B
"	Albert H. Reynolds	Sw. B
"	Fred. W. Piper	W.
"	Alfred W. Kimball	3rd G
"	Oscar H. Nelson	2nd G
"	Daniel A Lunt	asst. G
"	Charles W Perry Jr.	"
"	Fred. W. Chandler	"
"	Arthur P. Marden	M.D
"	Frank H. Rundlett	S.

also. Em. Sirs William R. Johnson. Green Davis
George E. Collins. Henry W Little and
the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Com. #3

Albert P. Atkinson. Herbert C. Bates. John M. Bailey
Harry W. Bayley. Clement Davis. George H. Dow.
Wm. Ford. Peter S. Galuzian. Walter B. Hopkinson
Chas. E. Houghton. Dr. Chas. F. A. Hall. Chas. E. Ives
Joseph L. Jacoby. Wm. McKay. Wm. F. Merrill
R. J. McKinney. Chas. D. Montgomery. Pev. Nelson
Harold S. Noyes. Fred. E. Page. Chas L. Perkins
John W. Talbot. Tracy F. Walton.

Visitors

Sir Kt. Emil Niemi Springfield Com. #6 Springfield Mass
" " J. P. Howard St George Com. #44 Beverly "

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars.

Records of last regular Conclave read and Approved

It was voted that Sir Kts. W. Scott Johnson. and Gorham D. Rogers. be suspended for Non Payment of dues.

Comp.
C. A. Jones
elected

The committee to whom the petition of Chas A Jones was referred. reported favorably. a ballot was ordered and he was declared elected to receive the Orders as conferred by Newburyport Commandery.

Comp.
E. R. Ayers Jr.
elected

The committee to whom the petition of Edward R. Ayers Jr was referred. reported favorably. a ballot was ordered and he was declared elected to receive the Orders as conferred by Newburyport Commandery

Comp.
F. V. Brown
elected

The majority of the Committee to whom the petition of Comp. Frank V. Brown. reported favorably. a ballot was ordered. and he was declared elected to receive the Order of Knighthood as conferred by Newburyport Com. —

Comp.
E. P. Noyes
elected

The committee to whom the petition of Comp. Edgar. P. Noyes. was referred. reported favorably. a ballot was ordered. and he was declared elected to receive the Orders. as conferred by Newburyport Commandery

Comp
C. C. Emery
elected

The committee to whom the petition of Comp. Carl. C. Emery was referred. reported favorably. a ballot was ordered. and he was declared elected to receive the Orders as conferred by Newburyport Commandery

W. R. Usher
W. A. Usher
Geo. W. Mansur
dues. remitted

The Council reported in favor of the remission of the dues of Sir Knights William R. Usher. William A. Usher and George W. Mansur to Sept 30 1915. It was voted that the report be accepted. and recommendation be adopted. -

It was voted that Newburyport Commandery #3 observe St. Johns Day. by a parade with a band of Music in the City, and that the final arrangements for lunch. sports &c. be reported to the Commandery at the Special Conclave to be held on Monday evening June 19, by the Council

Business in the Commandery was suspended and a Council of the "Illustrious Order of the Red Cross" opened and the Order was conferred upon

Red Cross

Companions Charles Alven Jones
Edward Russell Ayers Jr
Frank Vanna Brown
Edgar Francis Noyes
Carl Clinton Emery

The hour being late the Commandery was closed without form by Em Sir Porter

Attest
Charles A. Stockman
Recorder

Newburyport June 19 1916

A special Conclave of Newburyport Commandery was convened at the Asylum this evening

Present Em. Sir Samuel L. Porter E.C.
" " Joseph N. Dunmer G. Pro tem
" Irving S. Butler C.G.
" Albert K. Cheney S.W
" Charles P. Pillsbury J.W
" James W. Clark Ass. P.
" Charles A. Stockman Rec.
" John Pow St. B
" Albert H. Reynolds Sw. B
" Fred W. Piper W.
" Alfred W. Kimball 3rd G.
" Daniel A. Lunt ant. G.
" Chas. W. Perry Jr. " "
" Fred. W Chandler " "
" Arthur P. Marden M. D.
" Frank H. Rundlett S.

also Em. Sirs. William R. Johnson
Green Davis
Orrin J. Gurney
William G. Fisher
George E. Collins
Henry W. Little

and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport. Commandery #3

William E. Aubin
George H Dow
C. P. A. Hall
Chas. E Ives.
Chas D. Montgomery

William P. Cook
William Gillis
Chas. E Houghton
R. J. McKinney
Harold S. Noyes

J. W. Talbot.

Visitors
Sir Kt. Emil Niemi Springfield Com. #6 Springfield
" " P.W. Dilton De. Witt Clinton " Portsmouth N.H.

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars

It was voted on motion made by Em. Sir Green Davis and seconded by Sir Kt. A.P. Marden that the vote whereby the Commandery at the last Conclave voted to parade with band on St Johns Day be reconsidered 16 yes. 8 no

It was voted on motion made by Sir Kt. Butler and seconded by Sir Kt. Pillsbury that we do not observe St. Johns Day.

It was voted that the July and August Conclaves be omitted. and that the next regular Conclave be held the third Thursday in September

Temple
C A Jones
E R. Ayers Jr.
E F. Noyes
F. V. Brown
C. C Emery

The order of the Temple was conferred upon Companions Chas. A. Jones. Edward R. Ayers Jr. Edgar F. Noyes. Frank V. Brown and Carl C. Emery.

Malta
A. T. Atkinson
W. F. Merrill
Per. Nelson
and the above
Sir Knights

The Order of Malta was conferred by Em. Sir Joseph N. Dummer upon Sir Kts Albert T. Atkinson, William F. Merrill. Per. Nelson Chas. A Jones. Edward R Ayers Jr. Edgar F. Noyes Frank V. Brown. Carl C Emery

Commandery closed

attest
Chas. A Stockman Recorder

Newburyport Sept 21 1916

The Annual Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No 3 Knights Templar was convened at the asylum this evening

Present Em. Sir Samuel L. Porter E.C.
" James H Johnston G.
" Irving H. Butler C.G.
" Albert K Cheney S.W.
" Charles P. Pillsbury J.W.
" James W Clark Ass. P.
" Edward E Hocken T.
" Charles A. Stockman R.
" John Pow St. B.
" Albert H Reynolds Sw. B.
" Fred. W. Piper W.
" Alfred W. Kimball 3rd G.
" Oscar H. Nelson 2nd G.
" Daniel A Lunt asst. G
" Charles W. Perry Jr. " "
" Fred W. Chandler " "
" Arthur P. Marden M. D.
" Frank H. Rundlett P.

Also Em. Sirs William R. Johnson. Green Davis. George E. Collins. William G. Fisher. Benjamin Pearson Joseph N. Dummer. and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery No 3

John M. Bailey Herbert C Bates. Harry W. Bayley
Leroy Berry Frank. V. Brown Walter N Brown
Lawrence B Cheney. George H. Dow. Herbert E. Dodge
William Ford William Gillis Chas. E. Houghton.
Chas. E Ives, Greenleaf A. Johnson John F. Leitch
William F. Lunt William F. Merrill William McKay
Ralph W. Nelson Per Nelson Harold S. Noyes
Edward M Osgood Chas L. Perkins Fred E Page
John W. Talbot Frank M Swett

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templar

The records of the Stated Conclave of June 15 and Special Conclave of June 19 were read and declared approved

Letters were recd from Sir Knights William H. Bayley Gustavus Cammett thanking the Com-mandery for the beautiful flowers sent them

Also one from Sir Knight Geo. W. Mansur expressing thanks for the good feeling extended to him.

The following applications for the Orders of Knighthood were received.

Companion Webster D. Adams
Application Born in Newburyport Mass Aug. 1st 1877
Residence Newburyport
Webster D. Place of business Boston Mass
Adams. Occupation Clerk N.E. Mutual Ins. Co
Member of St Johns Lodge and King Cyrus Chapter
Recommended and vouched for by Sirs H.W. Bayley G.E. Stickney. I.S. Butler and C. W. Perry Jr.
and referred to a committee consisting of Em. Sir H. W. Little and Sirs D. A Lunt Moody Kimball

Companion William Edgar Bassett
Application Born in Ware. Mass November 25th. 1885
Residence #223 Merrimac St. City
William Place of business Newburyport.
Edgar Occupation Contractor
Bassett Member of St. Johns Lodge & King Cyrus Chapter
Recommended and vouched for by E. Sir Green Davis. Sirs C. A. Stockman and H. McKay
and referred to the following committee

Em. Sir W. G. Fisher & Sirs A. P. Swain C. F. A. Hall

It was voted on motion of Em. Sir W. R. Johnson that the congratulations of this Commandery be extended to Sir Knight William H. Bayley on the fiftieth (50th) anniversary of his membership in Newburyport Commandery which occurs on September 24th.

Sir Knights Pillsbury + Talbot dues remitted

Voted that the dues of Sir Knights W. W. Pillsbury and John W. Talbot be remitted for the ensu-ing year.

Voted that salary for the year ending Sept. 30 of the Recorder be $50.00

The Eminent Commander stated that the Council had examined the books and accounts of the Treasurer and Recorder. and found them correct.

The Treasurer rendered the following report

Sept 21 1916

To the Eminent Commander. Officers and members of Newburyport Commandery. The Treasurer submits the following report for the year ending Sept. 21 1916

Receipts

Balance on hand at the beginning of the year	255.66
Received from C. A Stockman Recorder	1411
Total Receipts	1666.66

Expenditures.

Recorder Salary.	$50.00
St. Johns Lodge Rent	150.00
Printing & Postage	158.04
Trustees Permanent Fund	90.00
Per Capita Tax	98.25
Flowers	37.33
	$583.62.

over.	583.62	$1666.66
H. W. Clark Jewels	62.00	
Catering and Cigars	444.09	
Home for Aged Men	100.00	
Depos. in 5 Cent Saving Bank	100.00	
Miscellaneous Small Expenses	67.27	
Total Expenditures	1356.98	1356.98
Balance in hands of Treasurer		$309.68
On deposit in 5 Cent S. Bank		1163.20
Total funds in hands of Treasurer		1472.88

Respectfully submitted
(signed) Edward E. Hicken
Treas.

Voted that the Report of Treasurer be accepted

The Recorder rendered the following report

Sept 14 1916

To the Eminent Commander, Officers and Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery No 3

I present to you the following as the report for the year ending Sept 14 1916

Membership

Membership Sept 16 1915 Active	228	
Honorary	5	
Total		233
Candidates admitted	8	8
		241
Died during the year	4	
" previously B. Bartlett	1	
Suspended for Nonpaymt dues	2	7
Membership Sept 16 1916		234

Active Members	230
Honorary "	4
	234

Receipts

For Orders conferred	$400.
" Membership (1)	10.
" Back dues	396.
" Dues to Sept. 30/16	571.
" Advance Dues	34.
total	$1411.

Condition of Dues

Dues unpaid Sept 16 1915	$649.	
" charged to " 30 1916	888.	
" " to June 30 1917	21.	
" " to Sept 30 1917	8.	
" " to Dec 31 1917	5.	
total	$1571.	$1571.
Dues unpaid at time of death	$3.-	
" paid during the year	1001.-	
" remitted	47.-	
" owed by 2 Members susp.	33-	
total	$1084.	$1084.
Dues unpaid Sept 14 1916		$487.

Classification of Unpaid Dues

2	Sir Knights owe each	1-	$2.00
3	" " " "	3-	9.00
51	" " " "	4-	204.00
14	" " " "	8-	112.00
3	" " " "	12-	36.00
5	" " " "	16-	80.00
1	" " " "	20-	20.00
1	" " " "	24-	24.00
80	" " "		$487.00

Of the above 24 Sir Knights owe five or more quarters dues each, amounting to $272.00

Respectfully submitted
Charles. A Stockman
Recorder

The names of the Sir Knights who owed 5 or more quarters read

Voted that the Report of the Recorder be accepted

Trustees Report

Em Sir. Davis for the Trustees of the Permanent Fund made the following report

Balance on hand Sept 21 1915	1153.17
Deposited	40.00
Interest	44.00
Balance in 5 Cent Saving Bank	$ 1237.17

Voted that the Report be accepted

Voted that $150.00 be paid to the Trustees of the Permanent Fund

This being the time for election of Officers. the Eminent Commander. appointed Em. Sir George E Collins. Benjamin Pearson and Sir Oscar H. Nelson as a committee to receive sort and count the ballots

Eminent Commander

Votes cast	47
Neccessary for choice	24
Sir Irving S. Butler had	35
" James H Johnston "	12

and Sir Butler was declared elected and he accepted

Generalissimo

Votes cast	42
Neccessary for choice	22
Sir Albert K Cheney had	36
" James H Johnston "	04
Scattering	2

and Sir Cheney was declared elected & he accepted

Captain General

Votes cast	45
Neccessary for choice	23
Sir Chas. B. Pillsbury had	45

and was declared elected and he accepted

Senior Warden

Votes cast	44
Neccessary for choice	23
Sir Fred W. Piper had	39
Scattering	5

and Sir Piper was declared elected and he accepted

Junior Warden

Votes cast	46
Neccessary for choice	24
Sir Alfred W. Kimball had	39
Scattering	7

and Sir Kimball was declared elected and he accepted

Prelate

Votes cast	42
Neccessary for choice	22
E Sir Moses Brown had	14
Sir James W Clark "	23
Scattering	5

and Sir Clark was declared elected. but declined the election

Prelate

Votes cast	42
Neccessary for choice	22
Em-Sir Joseph N. Dummer had	31
" " Benjamin Pearson	8
" " Moses Brown	2
Scattering	1

and Em. Sir Dummer was declared elected and he accepted

Voted unanimously that the Recorder cast one ballot for Edward E. Hicken for Treasurer this duty being performed. and Edward E. Hicken was declared elected and he accepted

Voted that the Treasurer be instructed to cast one ballot for Charles A Stockman for Recorder the Treasurer performed his duty. and Charles A Stockman was declared elected and he accepted the office

Voted that the Recorder cast one ballot bearing the name of Moses Brown for trustee of the Permanent Fund for 3 years. the Recorder performed this duty. and Em. Sir Brown was declared elected

Com. Triennial. Conclave

Voted that a committee consisting of Em Sir Benjamin Pearson Sir Irving S. Butler. Sir. C. F. Pillsbury Sir C. A. Stockman and Em Sir George E. Collins be appointed to formulate plans for forming an association to attend the Triennial Conclave of 1919

The above votes instructed to be cast by the Recorder and Treasurer, were the unanimous votes of the Commandery

Commandery closed

Attendance 52

Attest
Charles A Stockman
Recorder

Newburyport October 19 1916

A Stated Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No 3 K.T. was convened at the asylum this evening

Present Em. Sir Samuel L. Porter E.C.
" Irving S. Butler C.G.
" Chas. F. Pillsbury J.W.
" Edward E. Hicken T.
" Chas. A Stockman R
" John Pow St. B.
" Albert H. Reynolds Sw. B.
" Fred. W. Piper W.
" Alfred W. Kimball 3rd G.
" Oscar H. Nelson 2nd G.
" Daniel A. Lunt Asst G
" Chas. W. Perry Jr. " "
" Arthur P. Marden M.D
" Frank. H. Rundlett S.-

Also Em. Sirs, W. R. Johnson Green Davis. William G. Fisher, George E Collins, Benjamin Pearson. Henry W. Little

and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery No 3

E. R. Ayers Jr.
J. M. Bailey
F. L. Burke
C. C. Emery
W. Gillis
M. Kimball
W. F. Merrill
W. H. Noyes
F. M. Jewett
J. W. Talbot

A. C. Atkinson
H. W. Bayley
A Barboro
W. Ford
C. E. Houghton
F. J. Maddock
R. W. Nelson
E. M. Osgood
A. F. Swain
F. D. Wiley

W. Abbott
F. V. Brown
C. E. Davis
P. S. Galuzian
C. F. A Hall
F. O. Morse
H. S. Noyes
F. E Page
W. C. Patterson

Visitors

Sir Knight	Warner R. Butler	Jos. Warren	Com.	Roxbury
" "	John Whitmore	Seattle	"	#2 Seattle
" "	J. A. Woodman	Olivet	"	Lynn
" "	J. F. Howard	St George	"	Beverly
" "	F. W. Pelton	De Witt Clinton	"	Portsmouth
Em Sir	E. W. Pilton	Haverhill	"	Em Com
"	F. H. Durgin	"	"	G
"	B. B. Gilman	"	"	P.
"	J. P. Dearborn	"	"	St. B
"	M. J. Grey	"	"	Sw. B

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars

The records of the previous Conclave were read and approved by adding to them, that when the Recorder, or any Sir Knight was requested to cast one ballot, that ballot represented the unanimous vote of the Commandery

Sir Knight W. H. Bayley 50 years a Member

Communication from Sir Knight William H. Bayley thanking the Sir Knights of Newburyport Com. for Congratulations and gift which was sent to him on September 24th the fiftieth anniversary of his Membership in the Commandery

Communication from Sir Knight Frank M. Pillsbury requesting a dimit he being square on the books the same was granted

The following application for the Orders of Knighthood was received

Companion James R. Graves
Born in Bowdoinham Me Aug. 19 1866
Residence Amesbury Mass.

Application of Companion James R Graves

Place of business Amesbury Mass
Occupation Manufacturer
Member of Warren Lodge and Trinity Chapter
Recommended and vouched for by Em Sirs Samuel L. Porter, Irving S. Butler and Sirs John Porr Frank M. Swett. and referred to a Committee consisting of Em. Sir Geo. E. Collins. and Sirs James W. Clark & Charles R. Scott.

It was voted on motion of Sir Knight H. W. Bayley, that a letter of sympathy be sent to Sir Knight Albert K Cheney by the recorder

W. D Adams elected

The committee to whom was referred the petition for the Orders. of Companion Webster. D. Adams reported. a ballot was ordered. and he was declared elected, to receive the orders as conferred by Newburyport Commandery

W. E. Bassett elected

The committee to whom, was referred the petition for the Orders of Companion William E Bassett. reported, a ballot was ordered. and he was declared elected to receive the orders as conferred by Newburyport Commandery

Em. Sir G. W. Knowlton Grand Lecturer of the Grand Com. of Mass. & Rhode Island

Em. Com. Porter requested the Junior Warden to form an escort of the Past Commanders to retire to the ante-room. and escort Em. Sir George W. Knowlton to the East for the purpose of installing the Officers, the escort. Em. Sirs W. R. Johnson, Green Davis, William G. Fisher and George E. Collins, retired, and at once re-entered escorting Em. Sir Knowlton to the East. who on assuming that position appointed Em. Sir Henry W. Little as Grand Warden to assist him in the ceremonies. and at once proceeded to install Sir Knight Irving S. Butler as Commander of Newburyport Commandery

Em Sir Butler then addressed the Commandery thanking them for the honor. and asking the aid of every member to make the ensuing year a successful one. read his appointments. after which the several Officers were installed as follows.

Sir	Charles F. Pillsbury	C.G.
"	Fred. W. Piper	S.W
Sir	*Charles E. Pillsbury	J.W.
"	Edward E. Hicken	P.
"	Charles A Stockman	R.
"	Wilbur Abbott	St. B.
"	Carl C. Emery	Sw. B
"	Oscar H. Nelson	W.
"	Daniel A Lunt	3rd Guard
"	Charles W. Perry Jr	2nd "
"	John Pow	asst "
"	Charles P. A. Hall	asst "
"	Charles E. Houghton	asst "
"	Arthur P. Marden	M.D.
"	Frank H. Rundlett	S.

The usual proclamation was then made by the Grand Warden. Em. Sir Knowlton then resigned the head of the Commandery to Em. Sir Butler. who in well chosen words thanked the installing Officers for the very able and impressive manner in which the ceremonies had been performed

The Senior Warden was then requested to escort Em. Sir Porter to the head of the lines, where he was presented with a Past Commanders Jewel. by Em Sir F. W. Knowlton. Em Sir Porter expressed great satisfaction. and thanked the Commandery for the same,

The Sir Knights were then invited to the banquet hall above and the Commandery closed

attest Charles A Stockman Recorder

* Sir Alfred W. Kimball

attendance 49 + 10 visitors total 59

Newburyport October 23 1916

A Special Conclave of Newburyport Commandery #3 was convened at the Asylum at 1-30 oclock this afternoon

Present	Em. Sir	Irving S. Butler	E.C.
	"	Charles F. Pillsbury	C.G.
	"	Joseph N. Dummer	P.
	"	Charles A Stockman	R.
	"	Oscar H. Nelson	W.
	"	Frank H. Rundlett	S.

also Em. Sirs W. G. Fisher. Benjamin Pearson Samuel L. Porter. and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery

H. C. Austin
J. M. Bailey
E. W. Eaton
J. Elliott
F. O. Morse
W. McKay
R. W. Nelson
F. E. Page
A. H. Reynolds

Visitor
Sir. Kt. Romie E. Eaton De-Witt Clinton Com. Portsmouth

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templar

The Eminent Commander stated that this Special Conclave was called for the purpose of attending the funeral of the late

Sir. Knight Matthew H. McKinney

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The lines were formed. and the Commandery. proceeded to the home of our late Sir Knight, and escorted the remains to Saint Pauls Episcopal Church on High Street where services were held, and Newburyport Commandery rendered the beautiful and impressive Templar Burial Service

The remains were then conducted to Highland Cemetery Sir Knights H. C. Austin. A. H. Reynolds. R. W. Nelson and E. W. Eaton acting as pall bearers.

Here the Committal Service was rendered by the Commandery. and the remains of our late friend and Sir Knight were tenderly placed in its last resting place

The Commandery then returned to the Asylum and the Sir Knights dismissed

Attendance	Members	18
	Visitors	1
	Total	19

Attest
Charles. A Stockman
Recorder

Newburyport November 16 1916

A Stated Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No 3 Knights Templars was convened at the Asylum this evening

Present	Em.	Sir	Irving S. Butler	E. C.
		"	Albert K. Cheney	G
		"	Charles P. Pillsbury	C. G.
		"	Alfred W. Kimball	J. W
	Em.	"	Joseph N. Dummer	P
		"	Charles A. Stockman	R
		"	Wilbur Abbott	St. B
		"	Carl. C. Emery	Sw. B
		"	Oscar H. Nelson	W
		"	Daniel A Lunt	3rd Guard
		"	Charles W. Perry Jr.	2nd "
		"	Fred. W. Chandler	1st "
		"	John Pow	Asst "
		"	Lawrence B. Cheney	" " P.T.
		"	Charles. E. Houghton	" "
		"	Arthur P. Marden	M. D.
		"	Frank H Rundlett	S.

Also Eminent Sirs William R. Johnson. Green Davis, George E. Collins, Henry W. Little Samuel L. Porter
and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery No 3

Richard. T. Adams	Edward R. Ayers Jr.
John M. Bailey	Harry W. Bayley
Frank V. Brown	William Gillis
Robert J. McKinney	Fred. O. Morse
Harold S. Noyes	Edward M. Osgood
Fred. E. Page	Albert H. Reynolds

Visitors Emil Niemi Springfield Com. #6 Springfield Mass

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars

Records of last stated and special Conclaves read. and approved

A letter was read from Mrs Emily McKinney expressing thanks for flowers and sympathy extended to ordered to be filed.

Official
Circular
No 1
total mem-
-bership
18,618

Official Circular No 1 from the Grand Commandery was read. giving notice of the election and installa-tion of the Officers of the Grand Commandery R. E. Sir Samuel D. Sherwood as Grand Commander and giving the net gain for the year of 306 making the total membership October 31 1916 18,618. was ordered to be received and filed

The following applications for the Orders of Knighthood were received.

Application
of
Alfred D.
Merrill

Companion Alfred Darley Merrill, Agent
Born in Newburyport August 2 1865
Raised in St. Johns Lodge Newburyport
Exalted in King Cyrus Chapter "
Member of St. Johns Lodge and King Cyrus Chapter
Recommended by Em. Sirs W. R. Johnson. I. S. Butler and Sirs C. F. A. Hall, C. W. Perry Jr.
Petition received, and placed on file. and referred to Em. Sir W. G. Fisher and Sirs C. H. Nelson. C. A. Stockman

Application
of
Clarence H.
Wisham

Companion Clarence Herbert Wisham Die Cutter
Born in Philadelphia January 17 1873
Raised in St. Johns Lodge Newburyport
Exalted in King Cyrus Chapter "
Member of St. Johns Lodge and King Cyrus Chapter
Recommended by Em. Sirs W. R. Johnson I. S. Butler and Sirs C. H. Nelson A. K. Cheney

Petition received and placed on file and referred to Em. Sir Green Davis and Sirs H. W. Bayley C. W Perry Jr.

Comp.
J. R. Graves
elected

The committee to whom the application was referred of Companion James R. Graves reported, a ballot was ordered. and he was declared elected to receive the Orders of Knighthood as conferred by Newburyport Commandery

Voted that a page of the records be dedicated to the memory of our late Sir Knight Matthew H. McKinney

Installation
of
G - P - 1st G.

The Generalissimo. Prelate and first Guard not being able to be present at the installation of the officers. Em. Com. Butler requested the Senior Warden to present them at the head of the Com-mandery and he at once installed them into their respective offices

Business in the Commandery was now sus-pended. and a "Council of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross" opened. and the Order was conferred upon

Red Cross
W. E. Bassett
J. R. Graves
W. D. Adams

Companion William E. Bassett
" James R. Graves
" Webster D. Adams

The Companions were invited to partake of a lunch in the banquet hall above. and the "Council of the Ill. Order of the Red Cross was closed

Attest
Charles A. Stockman
Recorder

Attendance 34 Visitor 1
total 35

In Memoriam

Matthew H. McKinney

Born January 30 1877

Saint Marks Lodge A.F. and A.M

Entered Apprentice	June 8 1908
Fellow-Craft	Sept 14 1908
Master Mason	Oct 12 1908

King Cyrus Chapter R.A.M.

Mark Master	Dec. 10 1908
Past Master	Jan. 14 1909
Most Excellent Master	Feb. 11 1909
Royal Arch Mason	Mch. 11 1909

Amesbury Council R. and S. M.

Royal Master	Apr. 24 1916
Select Master	May 22 1916
Super Excellent Master	

Newburyport Commandery No 3 K.T.

Red Cross	Apr. 15 1909
Temple	June 17 1909
Malta	June 17 1909

Died October 21 1916

Newburyport Dec. 21 1916

A Stated Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No 3 Knights Templars was convened at the Asylum this evening

Present	Em. Sir.	Irving S. Butler	Com.
	"	Albert K. Cheney	Gen.
	"	Chas. P. Pillsbury	C. G.
	"	Fred W. Piper	S. W.
	"	Alfred W. Kimball	J. W.
	Em. "	Joseph N. Dummer	P.
	"	Chas. A Stockman	Rec.
	"	Wilbur Abbott	St. B-
	"	Carl C. Emery	Sw. B-
	"	Oscar. H. Nelson	Warder
	"	Daniel A. Lunt	3rd G.
	"	Chas. W. Perry Jr.	2nd G.
	"	John Pow	1st G P. Tem
	"	Chas. F. A. Hall	asst. G.
	"	Chas. E Houghton	" "
	"	Chas. A. Jones	" "
	"	Aubrey P. Marden	M. D.
	"	Frank. H. Rundlett	Sen.

also Em. Sirs J. E. McCusker. George. E. Collins Samuel L. Porter, and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Com. #3.

E. R. Ayers. Jr.
C. E. Davis
R. J. McKinney
Osc. Nelson
N. Russell
A. A. H. Whepley.

J. M. Bailey
C. D. Montgomery
W. P. Merrill
E. M. Osgood
A. P. Swain
P. P. Walton.

G. A. Johnson
P. D. Morse
H. L. Noyes
F. E. Page
J. W. Talbot

Visitors

Sir Kt. Emil Niemi Springfield Com. #6 Springfield Mass
" " Abraham F. Thomas Oriental " #9 Daytona Fla.

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars.

Records of last Stated Conclave read and approved

A letter from the family of our late Sir Knight Leonard W. Sargent expressing thanks for the flowers sent during his illness received and filed

G. Orders #1 Nov. 15/16 General Orders No 1 from the Grand Commander relating to the annual Christmas Observance

G. Orders No 2 Nov. 17/16 General Orders No 2 giving the assignments for the official inspection of the several commanderies which named Em. Sir William A Seward G.L as being assigned to inspect Newburyport Com. No 3

General Orders #3 Date Dec. 8 1916 General Orders No 3 issued by the Grand Commander of the changes in the Constitution and Statutes of the Grand Encampment of K's T. U.S.A made by that body at the Triennial Conclave held in the City of Los Angelos, Cal, June 20-21-22-23 1916, as immediately affecting the work of the subordinate Commanderies. it is hereby ordered that on, and after this date the Orders shall be conferred as follows: 1st Order of the Red Cross, 2d. Order of Malta. 3rd Order of the Temple. The Order of Malta may be conferred either in full. or short form. but in every case it must precede the Order of the Temple
also the regulations laid down in Section 302 relating to Jewels. Shoulder Straps, and regalia, prescribed for subordinate Commanderies.
Reviewing the By-Laws of the Commandery. and to make such changes, if any to conform in all respects to the Amended Constitution and Statutes of the Grand Encampment, and to the Constitution and General Regulations of Grand Com. K.T. of Mass & R. Island,

That Commanderies will observe and obey the order that the regular business of a Commandery must be done only at the regular stated Conclaves of the Commandery. and at the hour named in the notices sent out for such regular Conclaves.

The above circulars were read, and ordered filed

The following applications for the Orders of Knighthood were presented

Petition of Companion A. M Fenn

Companion Albert Moody Fenn Newburyport
Born in Newburyport, Mass July 2nd 1892
Occupation Clerk, at #13 Liberty Street
Member of St Marks Lodge & King Cyrus Chapter
Recommended and vouched for by Em. Sir J. S. Butler
and Sirs G.A Johnson, C.W. Perry Jr. C.F.A. Hall
referred to a committee consisting of Sirs W. Abbott
C. E. Houghton and A. W. Kimball

Petition of Companion A. M. Alley

Companion Arthur Marcellus Alley Newburyport
Born in Ellsworth. Me October 24 188
Occupation Druggist at #164 High. Street
Member of St. Johns Lodge & King Cyrus Chapter
Recommended and vouched for by Sirs C A Stockman
D.A. Lunt. A.P. Marden & C.W. Perry Jr. and
referred to a committee consisting of Sirs C.H. Nelson
A. W. Piper and E. R. Ayers. Jr.

Petition of N. Johnson

Companion Nicholas Johnson Newburyport
Born in Newburyport Mass January 23 1895
Occupation Foreman at Gas Works Newburyport
Member of St. Marks Lodge & King Cyrus Chapter
Recommended by Em Sirs Green Davis. H.W.
Little and Sirs G. A Johnson & C.S. Spaulding
referred to a committee consisting of Sirs
P. E. Page. H.S. Noyes and J. M. Bailey

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It was voted that a page of the records be set aside and dedicated to the memory of our late Sir Knight Leonard W. Sargent

Com. for celebrating St Johns Day

It was voted on the motion made by Sir. Kt. C. E. Pillsbury, that a committee be appointed to formulate plans for the celebration of St-Johns Day. and present them to the Commandery at the next Conclave. The Council, with Em. Sir G. E. Collins Sir Kts. C. W. Perry Jr. H. S. Noyes and the Recorder. were named as that committee

Comp. C. H. Wiham elected

The committee to whom the application of Comp. Clarence H. Wiham, was referred. reported, a ballot was ordered. and he was declared elected, to receive the Orders of Knighthood. as conferred by Newburyport Commandery

Comp. A. D. Merrill elected

The committee to whom the application of Comp. Alfred D. Merrill was referred. reported. a ballot was ordered. and he was declared elected. to receive the Orders of Knighthood as conferred by Newburyport Commandery

Order of Malta on Companions J. R. Graves W. D. Adams W. E. Bassett

Business suspended in the Commandery and an Order of Kts of Malta opened for the reception of candidates. the Junior Warden was requested to retire. and present the candidates. Companions James R. Graves, Webster. D. Adams, William. E. Bassett were escorted to the head of the lines, and Em. Sir Butler remarked of the changes that were made by the Grand Encampment. whereby it was made compulsory that the Order of Malta must be conferred before the Order of the Temple. and proceeded with the work. he was assisted by the Generalissimo. Captain

General, and Senior Warden. in giving the instructions to the candidates, after which they were escorted to the ante-room

Order of Malta was closed. and business resumed in the Commandery

Order of Temple J. R. Graves W. D. Adams W. E. Bassett

The Order of the Temple was conferred upon
Companion James R. Graves
" Webster D. Adams
" William E. Bassett

Commandery closed

attest
Charles. A. Stockman
Recorder

Attendance	38	Members
Visitors	2	
total	40	

In Memoriam

Leonard W. Sargent

Born in Newburyport Mass
October 14 1845

Saint Johns Lodge A.F. and A.M.

Entered Apprentice	June 4 1868
Fellow-craft.	July 2 1868
Master Mason	July 30 1868

King Cyrus Chapter R.A.M.

Mark Master	Apr. 14 1881
Past Master	Apr. 14 1881
Most Excellent Master	May 12 1881
Royal Arch Mason	May 26 1881

Amesbury Council R&S.M.

Royal Master	Mch. 28 1889
Select Master	Apr. 25 1889
Super Excellent Master	June 17 1889

Newburyport Commandery No 3 K.T.

Red Cross	Apr. 29 1886
Temple	May 20 1886
Malta	May 26 1886

Died in Newburyport Mass
December 21 1916

Newburyport Dec. 24 1916

A Special Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No 3 was convened at the Asylum at 12 o'clock Sunday December 24 1916

Present	Em. Sir	Irving S. Butler	Com.
	"	Albert K. Cheney	Gen
	"	Chas. P. Pillsbury	C.G.
	"	Fred. W. Piper	S.W.
	Em. "	Joseph N. Dummer	P
	"	Chas. A Stockman	Rec.
	"	Wilbur Abbott	St. B
	"	Oscar H. Nelson	W.
	"	Daniel A Lunt	3rd G.
	"	John Poor	1st G P.T.
	"	Arthur P. Marden	M.D
	"	Frank H. Rundlett	S.

also Em Sirs W.R. Johnson. W.G. Fisher. G.E. Collins. H.W. Little.
and the following Sir K.ts of Newburyport Com. #3

H.C. Bates
C.D. Montgomery
J A Rowell
F.M. Syett
A.A.H Wheffley
C.E. Davis.
A.G. Perkins
W.B Rogers
A F. Swain
W H Welch
P.S. Galuzian
A.N. Parry
R W Nelson
T.F. Walton

visitor
Sir Kt Ronnie E. Eaton De Witt Clinton Com.
Portsmouth N.H.

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars

The Em. Commander stated that this Conclave was called for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late

Sir Knight Leonard W Sargent

The lines were formed. and the Commandery proceeded by special car to the home of our late Sir Knight and escorted the remains to Saint Pauls Episcopal Church on High Street where services were held. and Newburyport Commandery No 3 rendered the impressive Templar Burial Service

The remains were then conducted to Belleville Cemetery. Em. Sirs W. G. Fisher and G. E. Collins. Sirs A. N. Parry. W. H. Welch C. H. Nelson and C. A. Stockman acting as Pall Bearers. accompanied by the Eminent Commander. Prelate and Em Sir W. R. Johnson

At the close of the service at Saint Pauls Church the Commandery returned to the Asylum.

The following Sir Knights were noted as being at the services in the Church

Em. Sirs Green Davis. Charles F. Worthen, and
Sirs. Richard G. Adams. Edward R. Ayers Jr
James Black
Charles W Cooke
Walter B. Hopkinson
Robert J. McKinney
Charles L Perkins +
Samuel Brookings x
Charles L Davis
Moody Kimball
Frank E. Miller
John W Talbot
and M. Perry Sargent

Commandery closed

Attendance

Members	30
Visitors	1
Total	31

Attest
Charles A Stockman
Recorder

Newburyport December 25 1916

A Special Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No 3 K. T. was convened at the Asylum today at 11 o'clock. for the purpose of "Christmas Observance".

Present	Em Sir	Irving S. Butler	Com.
	"	Albert K Cheney	G.
	"	Charles F. Pillsbury	C. G.
	"	Fred W. Piper	S. W.
	"	Alfred W. Kimball	J. W.
	Em. "	Joseph N. Dummer	P.
	"	Edward E. Hocken	T.
	"	Charles. A Stockman	Rec.
	"	Carl E Emery	Sw. B.
	"	Oscar H. Nelson	W.
	"	Daniel A Lunt	3rd G.
	"	Charles W. Perry Jr.	2nd G.
	"	John Pow	1st G P. Tem
	"	Charles P. A. Hall	Asst. G.
	"	Charles E Houghton	" G.
	"	Arthur P. Marden	M. D.
	"	Frank H Rundlett	S.

also Em. Sirs W. R. Johnson. Green Davis, Moses Brown. Orrin Gurney Chas. F. Worthen John. E. McCusker, William G. Fisher, Henry W. Little,
and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery No. 3 K. T.

Albert S. Atkinson
Arthur J. Anderson
Webster D. Adams
Antonio Barbaro
William E Bassett
Herbert E Bates
Harold A Besse
Stanley Besse
James Black
Harry W. Bayley
John W Boswell
Arthur H. Berry

John M. Bailey
Horace E Carlisle
Lawrence B Cheney
Charles W Cooke
Stephen J. Dauphinee
Clement E Davis
Herbert E Dodge
John Elliott
Irving A French
William Gillis
Frank M. Hoyt
Greenleaf A Johnson

Moody Kimball
John T Leitch
Frank L Lattime
William P Lowell
Robert J. McKinney
William F. Merrill
William McKay
Joseph L Morrill
George W. Marquand
Chas. D Montgomery
Henry J Noyes
Harold S. Noyes

Ralph W. Nelson
Per Nelson
Edward M Osgood
Fred E. Page
Charles L Perkins
Augustus W Parry
Albert H. Reynolds
William J Riley
Walter B Rogers
Albert F Swain
Charles S. Spaulding
Frank M. Swett

John W. Talbot
Arthur A. H. Whelpley
James H Walker
Tracy F. Walton

Visitors

Sir Knight J. H Brown De Witt Clinton Commandery
Portsmouth New. Hampshire
Sir Knight R. E. Eaton De Witt Clinton Commandery
Portsmouth New Hampshire
Sir Kt Emil Neini Springfield Com. #6 Springfield Mass
" " John F. Howard St George Com. #44 Beverly "
" " F. L. Harding Bristol Com. #29 Attleboro "
" " H. Williams Sutton Com. #16 New Bedford "
" " A Benedix Apollo Com #15 Troy N. Y.

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars

Eminent Commander Butler stated that this Conclave was called in compliance to the request of the R∴E∴ Grand Commander for the "Observance of Christmas".

Promptly at twelve o'clock the Eminent Commander read the sentiment prepared by the Committee of the Grand Encampment on Christmas Observance to the Grand Master Lee S. Smith

This was responded to by the Recorder reading the response of the Grand Master.

The Eminent Commander then offered the following toasts to
Right Eminent Grand Commander
Samuel D. Sherwood.
"Christmas & New Years Greetings from the Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery #3, May your administration be crowned with the highest degree of success

To our Sister Commanderies:
Our Latchstring is always out and your fraters are ever welcome, May our friendship be firm and true, and last as long as time may run

To the Past Commanders of Newburyport Com:
May your continued presence and interest in the success and welfare of our Commandery help us all to better things and stimulate us to deeds of more exalted usefulness.

To the officers and Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery:
May peace and harmony ever prevail
within our Asylum that you may
attain the very best results possible
and when your work is finished
may it be proclaimed "Well done
thou good and faithful servant".

To our absent Sir Knights:
May the spirit of this Christmas
gathering reach you all wherever
you may be. May the blessed
Emanuel bring health and peace
to all who are in need and may
you and yours be filled with
happiness in the year to come.

To our Sir Knights who have passed beyond:
Although we miss their hearty
hand-clasp, and joyous greeting
their memory we shall always cherish.

The recorder read the names of the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery No 3, who have passed away since our last "Christmas Observance".

Em. Sir Benjamin J. Warton
December 31 1915

Sir Kt. William H. Ferren
January 10 1916

Sir Kt. John A Douglass
February 4 1916

Sir Kt. Matthew H. McKinney
October 21 1916

Sir Kt. Leonard W. Sargent
December 21 1916

Em. Sir William R. Johnson offered the following toast
To our present Commander
May the present year be one of profit
and may all his efforts be crowned
with success

Sir Kt. Generalissimo offered the following toast
To our oldest member Capt. W H Bayley
50 years a member of Newburyport
Commandery. may he live to enjoy
many more Happy Christmas Days".

Remarks were made by Em Sir Fisher in regard to forming a Club, for the purpose of attending the next triennial Conclave at Philadelphia in 1919. Em. Com. Butler informed him that a committee had been appointed to suggest some plan. and had not yet formulated their plans so as to be able to present them

Commandery closed at 12-45 o'clock and Sir Knights were dismissed

Attendance	77	Members
visitors	7	
total	84	

Attest
Charles A Stockman
Recorder

Christmas Greetings were received from the following:

Saint Johns	Commandery	No 1	Providence	R.I.
Boston	"	2	Boston	Mass
Washington	"	4	Newport	R.I.
Worcester County	"	5	Worcester	Mass
De Molay	"	7	Boston	"
Holy Sepulchre	"	8	Pawtucket	R.I.
Pilgrim	"	9	Lowell	Mass
Palestine	"	10	Chelsea	"
Milford	"	11	Milford	"
Calvary	"	13	Providence	R.I.
Haverhill	"	14	Haverhill	Mass
Old Colony	"	15	Abington	"
Sutton	"	16	New Bedford	"
Bethany	"	17	Lawrence	"
Jerusalem	"	19	Fitchburg	"
Hugh de Payens	"	20	Melrose	"
Saint Omer	"	21	Boston	"
Connecticut Valley	"	23	Greenfield	"
Woonsocket	"	24	Woonsocket	R.I.
Godfrey de Bouillon	"	25	Fall River	Mass
Joseph Warren	"	26	Roxbury	"
Narragansett	"	27	Westerly	R.I.
William Parkman	"	28	E. Boston	Mass.
Bristol	"	29	Attleboro	"
Northampton	"	30	Northampton	"
South Shore	"	31	E. Weymouth	"
Natick	"	33	Natick	"
Coeur de Lion	"	34	Charlestown	"
Olivet	"	36	Lynn	"
Athol	"	37	Athol	"
Bay State	"	38	Brockton	"
Cyprus	"	39	Hyde Park	"
Saint Paul	"	40	North Adams	"
Beauseant	"	41	Malden	"
Cambridge	"	42	Cambridge	"

Saint George	Commandery	#44	Beverly	Mass.
Orange	"	45	Orange	"
Ivanhoe	"	46	Gardner	"
Quincy	"	47	Quincy	"
Portland	"	2	Portland	Me.
St Albans	"	8	"	Me.
Bradford	"	4	Biddeford	Me.
St Johns	"	3	Bangor	Me.
St Paul	"		Dover	N.H.
Pilgrim	"		Laconia	N.H.
Trinity	"		Manchester	N.H.

Samuel D Sherwood Grand Commander
Lee S. Smith Grand Master of Grand Enc.-
Benjamin W. Rowell Grand Recorder
Everett C Benton " Captain General
Harry G. Pollard " Senior Warden
William H Emerson Dep. " Commander
George W Knowlton " Lecturer
Percy W. Witherell " "
Freeman C Hersey Past " Commander
Frank L. Nagle " " "

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Attest
Chas. A Stockman
Recorder

Newburyport Jan. 3 1917

A Special Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No 3 was convened at the Asylum at 11 o'clock this forenoon

Present

Em. Sir Irving S. Butler Com.
" Albert K. Cheney G.
" Fred W. Piper S.W.
" " Joseph N Dummer P.
" Chas. A Stockman Rec.
" Frank H. Rundlett S.

Em Sir W.R. Johnson and Sir Knights Richard G. Adams and Peter S Galuzian

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars.

The Em. Commander stated that this Conclave was called for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late Sir Knight William H Whitmore

The Sir Knights proceeded to the Railroad Station and escorted the remains to the Memorial Chapel at Oak Hill. where the beautiful. and impressive Templar Burial service was rendered. after which the lines were formed. and the body escorted to its last resting place in Oak Hill Cemetery Sir Kts A.K. Cheney. F.W. Piper. P.S. Galuzian and C A. Stockman acted as Pall Bearers. the Commandery returned to the Asylum. and the

Commandery closed
by Sir Kt. A.K. Cheney G.

attendance 9

Attest Chas. A Stockman
Recorder

Newburyport January 18 1917

A Stated Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No 3 Knights Templars was convened at the Asylum this evening

Present Em. Sir Irving. S. Butler Com.
" Albert K Cheney Gen.
" " George E Collins C.G. Pro Tem
" Fred W. Piper S.W
" Alfred W. Kimball J.W.
" " Joseph N. Dummer P.
" Chas. A. Stockman R.
" Wilber Abbott St. B.
" Carl C. Emery Sw. B.
" Chas. E Houghton W. Pro Tem
" Daniel A Lunt 3rd Guard
" Chas. W. Perry Jr 2nd "
" John Poor 1st " P. Tem
" Chas. P. A. Hall asst G.
" Geo. H. Dow " " P.T.
" Arthur P. Marden M.D.
" Frank H. Rundlett S.

Em. Sirs W. R. Johnson. Green Davis. W. G. Fisher S. L. Porter

and the following Sir Kts. of Newburyport Commandery No 3

Webster D. Adams.
John M. Bailey
John E. Baumgartner
Frank V. Brown
William McKay
Charles D. Montgomery
Albert H. Reynolds
Tracy E. Walton

Albert P. Atkinson
Harry W Bayley
William E. Bassett
Greenleaf A. Johnson
Fred C. Morse
Fred E. Page
John W. Talbot

Visitors
Em. Sir Frank R. Starkey St. George Com. #44 Beverly Mass
" Stephen E. Woodbury " " " " " .C.G.
" John F. Howard " " " " " "
" William T. Dunbar " " " " " "
" William C. Howard " " " " "
" Henry Williams Sutton " #16 New Bedford "

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars

Records of last Stated and special Conclaves read and approved

The following application for the Orders was presented

Application of Chester G. Merrill — Companion Chester Garfield Merrill
Born in Newburyport. Nov. 5 1880
Occupation Travelling Salesman
Member of St. Marks Lodge and King Cyrus Chapter
Recommended and vouched for by Sirs. C.W. Perry Jr. Albert K. Cheney Chas. A Stockman and Em. Sir Samuel L. Porter
And referred to a committee of investigation consisting of Sirs. D.A. Lunt A.P. Marden and J.H. Bailey

N. Johnson elected — The committee to whom the application of Nicholas Johnson was referred, reported. a ballot was ordered. and he was declared elected to receive the Orders. as conferred by Newburyport Commandery

A.M. Alley elected — The committee on the application of A. M. Alley reported. a ballot was ordered. and he was declared elected to receive the Orders. as conferred by Newburyport Commandery

A.M. Genn elected — The Committee to whom the application of A.M. Genn was referred reported a ballot was ordered and he was declared elected to receive the Orders as conferred by Newburyport Commandery

It was voted that a page of the records be set aside and dedicated to the memory of our late Sir Knight William H. Whittmore

Em. Sir Collins reported for the Saint Johns Day Committee. that the committee had conferred with the committee appointed by St. George Commandery of Beverly in regard to a joint celebration of St. Johns Day. and that the committee would be able to present some plan at the next Conclave

It was voted Em. Sir W.G. Fisher be added to the committee already appointed to formulate plans for a Merrill Club. and that he be the Chairman Pro Tem of the committee

Business in the Commandery was suspended. and a Council of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross opened. and the Order was conferred upon

Red Cross + Malta
A.D. Merrill
C.H. Wisham
N. Johnson
A.M. Alley
A. M. Genn

Companion Alfred Dailey Merrill
" Clarence Herbert Wisham
" Nicholas Johnson
" Arthur Marcellus Alley
" Albert Moody Genn

The Order of Malta was then conferred upon the above Companions

Commandery Closed

Attendance 36
Visitors 6
42

Attest Chas. A Stockman
Recorder

In Memoriam

William H. Whitmore

Born May 13 1852

Saint Johns Lodge A.F. and A.M.

Entered Apprentice	June 5 1902
Fellow-craft	October 2 1902
Master Mason	January 1 1903

King Cyrus Chapter R.A.M.

Mark Master	March 12 1903
Past Master	March 20 1903
Most Excellent Master	March 20 1903
Royal Arch Mason	April 15 1903

Newburyport Commandery K.T.

Red Cross	May 21 1903
Temple	June 18 1903
Malta	June 18 1903

Died at

December 30 1916

Newburyport February 15 1917

A Stated Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No 3 Knights Templar. was convened at the Asylum this evening

Present

	Em. Sir	Irving S. Butler	Com.
	"	Albert K. Cheney	Gen.
	"	Charles S. Pillsbury	C.G.
	"	Alfred W. Kimball	J.W.
"	"	Joseph N. Dummer	P.
	"	Charles A Stockman	R.
	"	Wilbur Abbott	St. B
	"	Carl C. Emery	Sw. B
	"	Oscar H. Nelson	W.
	"	Daniel A Lunt	3rd G.
	"	Charles W. Perry Jr.	2nd G
	"	John Pow	1st G P.T.
	"	Charles P. A. Hall	asst. G.
	"	Charles E Houghton	" "
	"	Geo. H. Dow	" P.T.
	"	Arthur P. Marden	M.D.
	"	Frank H. Rundlett	S.

Em. Sirs W.R. Johnson, Green Davis W.G. Fisher G.E. Collins and H.W. Little. and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery No 3

A.F. Atkinson	W.D. Adams	E.R. Ayers Jr.
J.M. Bailey	H.W. Bayley	W.E. Bassett
F.V. Brown	C.F. Damon	P. Galuzian
W. Gillis	G.A. Johnson	W. McKay
W.F. Merrill	C.D. Montgomery	H.S. Noyes
E.M. Osgood	F.E. Page	A.H. Reynolds
W.J. Webster	A.A. Hoehelpley	

Visitors

Sir Kt. A.J. Barton Jr. St George No 44 Beverly Mass

Sir Kt. Emil Niemi Springfield Com. #6 Springfield
" " Alexander G. McDonald St. Omer " #21 Boston
" " C.W. Brian Bethany " #17 Lawrence

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars.

Records of the Stated Conclave of January 18th read and approved

Com's from the families of Sir Kts L. W. Sargent and Henry P. Curtis & from Mrs Leroy Berry thanking the Commandery for sympathy extended and flowers received, ordered to be filed

Em. Sir Green Davis tendered a bill for services & labor on closet receipted. It was voted that the Recorder be instructed to convey to the Em. Sir the thanks of the Commandery

The following application for the Orders of Knighthood was received

Application
Albert
John
Kranz

Companion Albert John Kranz. Amesbury Mass
Born in Amesbury Mass August 9 1889
Raised in Warren Lodge Amesbury Mass
Exalted in Trinity Chapter "
Occupation Broker in Boston Mass
Recommended by Sirs H.W. Bayley E.M. Osgood Arthur A.H. Whelpley and Em. Sir I.S. Butler and referred to Em. Sir G.E. Collins, and Sirs F. M Swett & A.W. Kimball

Companion
C.G. Merritt
elected

The committee to whom the application of Chester G. Merritt was referred reported. a ballot was ordered. and he was declared elected to receive the degrees as conferred by Newburyport Commandery

By-Laws
Read

The By-Laws of the Commandery were read by the Recorder

The committee on St. Johns celebration were unable to present anything at this Conclave, but thought by the next month would be able to give an outline of the proposed outing.

Sir Knight Warder at this time took occasion to thank the Commandery for the flowers sent and sympathy extended during his late illness

Order of the Temple (conferred upon)

Temple
C.H. Wisham
A.D. Merrill
N. Johnson
A.M. Alley
A.M. Genn

Companion Clarence Herbert Wisham
" Alfred Darley Merrill
" Nicholas Johnson
" Arthur Marcellus Alley
" Albert Moody Genn

Com. was read from Em Sir William A. Seward informing the Commandery that he would be assisted at the inspection by Em. Sir Herbert P. Nickerson as Deputy Grand Warder on Thursday evening March 29th

Attendance	Members	42
"	Visitors	1
	Total	43

Commandery closed

Attest
Charles A Stockman Recorder

Newburyport March 15 1917

A Stated Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No 3 K. T. was convened at the Asylum this evening

Present

Em. Sir Irving S. Butler Com.
" Albert K Cheney Gen
" Charles P. Pillsbury C.G.
" Fred. W. Piper S.W
" Alfred W. Kimball J.W.
" " Joseph N. Dummer P
" Charles A. Stockman Rec
" Wilbur Abbott St.B.
" Oscar. H Nelson W.
" Daniel A. Lunt 3rd G.
" Charles. W. Perry Jr. 2nd G
" John Pow 1st G P.T.
" Charles F. A. Hall Asst. G.
" Charles. E. Houghton " G.
" Arthur P. Marden M. D.
" Frank H. Rundlett S.

Eminent Sir William R. Johnson Greene Davis. Henry W. Little. Samuel L. Porter and the following Sir K.ts of Newburyport Commandery No 3

E. R. Ayers Jr. W. D. Adams. A. M. Alley
A. T. Atkinson W. H. Bayley H. W. Bayley
J. M. Bailey F. V. Brown F. S. Collins
C. F. Damon C. E. Davis A. M. Fenn
J. W. Gurney P. S. Galuzian G. A. Johnson
N. Johnson W. F. Merrill C. D. Montgomery
A. D. Merrill R. W. Nelson E. P. Noyes
H. J. Noyes H. S. Noyes E. M. Osgood
C. L. Perkins F. E. Page A. G. Reynolds

F. M. Swett A. P. Swain J. W. Talbot
A. A. H. Whepley and E. H. Wisham

Visitor
Sir Kt. A. G. McDonald Saint Omer Com. # 21 Dorchester

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars

Records of the Stated Conclave of Feb. 15 read and approved

Communication from Mrs S. J. Dauphinee thanking the Commandery for flowers sent Sir Knight Dauphinee during his recent illness received and filed

The following applications for the Orders were presented

Petition of Joseph Henry Hudson

Companion Joseph Henry Hudson
Born in Blackburn England Aug. 27 1857
Occupation Furniture Dealer
Member of St. Marks Lodge and King Cyrus Chapter
Recommended and vouched for by Sirs. C H. Nelson. C A Stockman F. E Page and Em Sir I. S. Butler, and referred to a committee consisting of Em Sir. H W. Little. and Sirs A P Swain H. S. Noyes

Petition of William Chipman Noyes

Companion William Chipman Noyes
Born in Newbury Mass
Occupation Mechanic
Member of Saint Marks Lodge and King Cyrus Chapter
Recommended and vouched for by

Em Sir I. S. Butler. Sir C H Nelson J. W. Gurney and F. E. Page and referred to Em. Sir Joseph N Dummer Sir G. A. Johnson and A. W. Kimball

The Eminent Commander stated that the committee on the petition of Comp. Albert J. Kranz desired further time so no action would be taken at this Conclave

Communication from Sir Kt. A. D. McFarlin Recorder of St. George Com. No 44 of Beverly stating that the Commandery had voted at the Conclave held March 8 to participate in the Joint Pilgrimage with Newburyport Commandery to Bay of Naples Inn on June 23 and 24th received and filed

Em. Commander Butler reported for the committee on St Johns Day pilgrimage with St George Commandery #44 of Beverly that the committee had met and formulated plans to leave Newburyport on special train at 1-45 PM June 23 to Bay of Naples Inn Maine and return Sunday June 24th at 7-30 PM at a cost of $15.00 for each Sir Knight. based on 135 Sir Knights participating

It was voted on motion of Em. Sir Dummer that Newburyport Commandery accept the report of the Committee and participate in the pilgrimage with St George Com #44 on June 23 and 24th
It was voted that a page of the records be dedicated to our late Sir Knight Gustavus Cammett

Commandery closed

A rehearsal of the Order of the Red Cross was held after which the Sir Knights were invited to the banquet hall above where a social hour was passed

Attendance

Sir Knights	52
visitor	1
total	53

Attest Charles A. Stockman
Recorder

In Memoriam

Gustavas Cammett.

Born in Salisbury Mass
December 3rd 1837

Warren Lodge A.F. & A.M.

Entered Apprentice	November 13 1889
Fellow Craft	December 11 1889
Master Mason	January 8 1890

Trinity Chapter R.A.M.

Mark Master	March 31 1890
Past Master	March 31 1890
M. Excellent Master	April 28 1890
Royal Arch Mason	June 2 1890

Amesbury Council R & S.M.

Royal Master	January 27 1891
Select Master	January 27 1891
Super Ex. Master	January 27 1891

Newburyport Commandery No 3 K.T.

Red Cross	March 19 1891
Temple	April 16 1891
Malta	May 21 1891

Died in
Amesbury Mass March 6 1917

Newburyport March 29 1917

A Special Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No 3 Knights Templar was held at the Asylum this evening

Present	Em. Sir	Irving S. Butler	E.C
	"	Albert K. Cheney	G
	"	Charles P. Pillsbury	C.G.
	"	Fred. W. Piper	S.W
	"	Alfred W. Kimball	J.W
	" "	Joseph N. Dummer	P
	"	Edward E. Hicken	T
	"	Charles A Stockman	Sec
	"	Wilbur Abbott	St.B.
	"	Carl. C. Emery	Sw.B
	"	Oscar. H. Nelson	W
	"	Daniel A Lunt	3rd G
	"	Charles W. Perry Jr.	2nd G
	"	John Pow	1st G P.Com
	"	Charles. F. A. Hall	Asst G.
	"	Charles. E. Houghton	" "
	"	Charles. A. Jones	" "
	"	Arthur P. Marden	M.D
	"	Frank H. Rundlett	S.

also.	Em. "	William R. Johnson
	" "	Green Davis
	" "	Orrin J. Gurney
	" "	Charles. F. Worthen
	" "	William G. Fisher
	" "	George. E. Collins
	" "	Henry W. Little
	" "	Samuel L Porter

and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery No 3

A. M. Alley
E. R. Ayer Jr.
R. G. Adams
W. N. Brown
Black, James
G. L. Bean
J. M. Bailey
J. W. Clark
W. F. Cook
S. J. Dauphinee
Elliott J. F.
W. Ford
J. A. French
W. Gillis
J. D. Holland
N. Johnson
J. E. Lunt
J. T. Leitch
C. D. Montgomery
W. E. Morrill
W McKay
H. J. Noyes
E. M. Osgood
F. E Page
N Russell
B. A. Rogers
C. R. Scott
H. B Trask
J H Wheeler
F. B. Wiley
G. W. Worcester

A. J. Anderson
A. P. Atkinson
H. T. Ames
W. H Bayley
H. C Bates
W. E Bassett
J. E Baumgartner
L. B. Cheney
C. W. Cooke
E. F. Dempsey
J. Elliott
G. D. Flanders
A. M. Fenn
P. S. Galuzian
F. M. Hoyt
A. S. Jewell
W. P. Lovell
G W. Marquand
W. F. Merrill
J. J. Mason
A. D. Merrill
H. S. Noyes
G. E Philbrook
C. L. Perkins
J. A Rowell
A. F. Swain
C. S. Spaulding
A. A. H Whelpley
C. H. Wiseham
W. J. Webster

H. C. Austin
W. D. Adams
F. V. Brown
H. W. Bayley
A Barboro
L. Berry
F. L. Burke
F. W. Chandler
C. E. Davis
C. F. Damon
D. H. Elkins
G. A. Fogg
J. W Gurney
J. R. Graves
G. A. Johnson
M Kimball
E. N. Lambert
F. O. Moore
M. B. Merrell
R. J. McKinney
R. W. Nelson
E. F. Noyes
A. N Parry
R. F. Patten
A H Reynolds
F. M. Sewett
J. W Talbot
T. F. Walton
A. P. Wilson
C. W. Wells

Visitors

	Sir	E. H. Bailey	Boston	Comdy	#2	Boston	Mass
	"	M. H. Hein	"	"		"	
	"	E Niemi	Springfield	"	#6	Springfield	"
	"	C. W. Anthony	De Molay	"	#7	Boston	"
	"	F. C. Chase	"	"	#7	"	"

	Sir	F. H Conant	De Molay	Comdy	#7	Boston	Mass
	"	L. B Ismon	"	"	"	"	"
	"	H. Lane	Haverhill	"	#14	Haverhill	"
	"	H Williams	Sutton	"	#16	New Bedford	"
	"	C. W. Brian	Bethany	"	#17	Lawrence	"
	"	J. S. Glover	Winslow Lewis	"	#18	Salem	"
	"	A C Glover	"	"	"	"	"
	"	C. E Cole	Coeur de Leon	"	#34	Charlestown	"
	"	D. W. Johnson	"	"	"	"	"
	"	W. J. McLoud	"	"	"	"	"
	"	J. A. Woodman	Olivet	"	#36	Lynn	"
	"	B. G. Jones	Cambridge	"	#42	Cambridge	"
	"	F. A. Kenniston	"	"	"	"	"
	"	W. Keith	St. George	"	#44	Beverly	"
	"	H. B. Sadler	"	"	"	"	"
	"	W. W. Critchley	"	"	"	"	"
	"	F. L. Kimball	"	"	"	"	"
	"	A. E. Johnson	"	"	"	"	"
	"	F. L. Palmer	"	"	"	"	"
	"	J. H. Asberry	"	"	"	"	"
	"	A. J. Barton Jr	"	"	"	"	"
	"	A. D. McFarlin	"	"	"	"	"
	"	W. C. Howard	"	"	"	"	"
	"	J. F. Howard	"	"	"	"	"
	"	J. Warren Brown	De Witt Clinton	"		Portsmouth	N. H.
	"	J. H Brown	"	"		"	"
	"	R. E. Eaton	"	"		"	"
	"	F. W. Tilton	"	"		"	"
	"	F. W. Drew	Saint Gerard	"		Littleton	N H
	"	A. F. Benedix	Apollo	"	#15	Troy	N. Y.
	"	A F. Thomas	Oriental	"	#9	Daytona	Fla.
	"	W F. Schlenber	Olivet	"	#36	Lynn	Mass
38	"	D. B. H. Powers	"	"	#36	"	"

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars at 4-30 oclock

Red Cross Comp. C. G. Merrit

Business in the Commandery was suspended and a Council of the "Ill. Order of the Red Cross" opened, and thru Companion Chester Garfield Merrit the first section of the order was conferred. the Council of the "Ill. Order of the Red Cross" was closed and business in the Commandery resumed. a recess was declared and the Sir Knights repaired to the banquet room. where an excellent banquet was awaiting them, after which all returned to the Asylum and the Commandery was opened

At this time Em. Sir Herbert. P. Nickerson Deputy Grand Warden entered the Asylum and informed the Em. Commander that.

Eminent Sir William A Seward
Grand Lecturer of the Grand Commandery
of Massachusetts and Rhode Island

was in an adjoining apartment in waiting to officially inspect Newburyport Commandery

The Eminent Commander informed the Deputy Grand Warden. that he recognised the Authority of the Inspecting Officer, and would at once wait upon him with a Committee and appointed as that Committee

Em. Sir W. R. Johnson
" " Green Davis
" " Orrin J. Gurney
" " Charles F. Worthen
" " William G. Fisher
" " George. E. Collins
" " Henry W. Little
" " Samuel L. Porter

The committee retired. and escorted Em. Sir Seward and suite to the Asylum. and the Inspecting Officer was introduced to the Eminent Commander by Sir Albert K. Cheney Generalissimo.

The Em. Commander extended cordial greetings to the Inspecting Officer. who acknowledged his pleasure at being the Inspecting Officer of the Commandery and the very cordial manner in which he had been received and presented to the Em. Commander the members of his suite as follows

R. E. Sir Freeman C. Hersey P.G.C of the Grand Com. of Mass & R.I.
" " Roland C. Lamb G.St.B. " " " " " & "
" " George. W Knowlton G.L. " " " " " "
" " Joseph T. Paul " " " " " " "
" " Percy W. Witherell " " " " " " "
" " Henry A. Senetchi P.G.L " " " " " " "
" " Isaac Chase " " " " " " "
" " James S. Blake " " " " " " "
" " Herbert P. Nickerson D.G.W. " " " " " " "
" " George W. Bauer E.C. of Boston Comdy #2 Boston
" " Harry C. Taylor E.C " Palestine " #10 Chelsea
" " Frederick H Tilton E.C " Haverhill " #14 Haverhill
" " Wallis G. Whittemore E.C. " Natick " #33 Natick
" " Leonhard Baer E.C. " Coeur de Leon " #37 Charlestown
" " George B Colesworthy E.C. " Cambridge " #42 Cambridge
" " Frank R. Starkey E.C " St George " #44 Beverly
" C. W. Howard P G " Boston " #2 Boston
" G. E. Durgin " " Haverhill " #14 Haverhill
" A H Rydstrom " " Jos. Warren " #26 Roxbury
" H F. Hawthorne " " Coeur de Leon " #34 Charlestown
" L. F. Hall " " Cambridge " #42 Cambridge
" W. R. Milton C.G. " DeMolay " #7 Boston
" S. A. McGreger " " Haverhill " #14 Haverhill
" S. E Woodbury " " St George " #44 Beverly
E. " F. C. Graves P.C. " Boston " #2 Boston
" " E. W. Evans " " DeMolay " #7 "

E. Sir	C. H. MacGarvey	P.C.	of St. Omer Comdy	#21	
" "	H. P. Nickerson	"	" Coeur de Leon	" #34	Charlestown
" "	E. A. Eastman	"	" " " "	" #34	"
" "	G. S. Simmocks	"	" St George	" #44	Beverly
" "	J. E. Nightingale	"	" "	" #44	"
" "	F. O. Staples	"	" "	" #44	"
" "	A. A. Smith	"	" "	" #44	"

The Em. Commander then escorted Em. Sir Seward to the head of the Commandery. and the official count resulted as follows

Members of Newburyport. Commandery in Uniform	90
" " " not in "	9
Visiting Sir Knights exclusive of Suite	36
Inspecting Officer and Suite	34
total	169

The Charter. Records. and By-Laws together with Rituals of the Red Cross. Temple & Malta #5253
" " " " " #2843 #2844 #4152
" " " Prelate #427
were duly examined

The Em. Commander then resumed his position at the head of the Commandery and business in the Commandery was suspended and a Council of the "Ill. order of the Red Cross" opened and the last section of the Order was conferred upon Companion Chester G. Merrill.

The Eminent Commander was then requested to keep his position at the head of the Com. after having resigned to Em. Sir Seward on the completion of the work the East. the Council of the "Ill. Order of the Red Cross was closed. and business in the Commandery resumed.

Remarks were made by Em. Sir. Seward and other members of the Suite

The Inspecting Officer then stated that the purpose of his visit having been accomplished. he would with his suite retire

The escort was formed. and the distinguished visitors. were escorted to the ante-room by the committee of Past Commanders

The Commandery was then closed by Em. Sir Butler

Attest
Charles. A. Stockman
Recorder

Attendance

Members of Newburyport Com.	118
Visitors	38
Inspecting Officer and Suite	34
Total	190

Newburyport Mass April 3 1917

A Special Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No 3 K Ts was convened at the Asylum at ten (10) o'clock this forenoon. for the purpose of attending the funeral of the late Sir Knight Warren W. Pillsbury

Present	Em. Sir	Irving S. Butler	E.C.
	"	Albert K. Cheney	G.
	"	Alfred W. Kimball	J.W.
	" "	Joseph N. Dummer	P.
	"	Oscar. H. Nelson	W.
	"	F. H. Rundlett	S.

also Em Sir W. R. Johnson
" " W. G. Fisher
" " G. E. Collins

and Sir Knights J. E. Lunt. E. P. Noyes. J. W. Talbot

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars

The Em. Commander stated the object of this Special Conclave. and the Commandery repaired to 69 Washington Street. the home of our late Sir Knight and escorted the remains to the Central Congregational Church where the Templar Burial service was held conducted by Em Sir I. S. Butler and Prelate Joseph N Dummer. the remains were taken to Merrimack N.H. for burial accompanied by Em. Sir Butler

The Commandery returned to the Asylum and was closed by Sir. A. K. Cheney Generallissimo

Attendance 12

Attest Charles A Stockman

Recorder

Newburyport April 19 1917

A Regular Conclave of Newburyport Commandery was convened at the Asylum this evening

Present	Em Sir	Irving S. Butler	Com.
	"	Albert K Cheney	G.
	"	Chas. P. Pillsbury	C. G.
	"	Fred W. Piper	S. W
	"	Alfred W Kimball	J. W
	" "	Joseph N. Dummer	P.
	"	Chas. A Stockman	Sec.
	"	Wilbur Abbott	St. B
	"	Carl C. Emery	Sw. B
	"	Oscar H Nelson	W
	"	Daniel A Lunt	3rd G
	"	John Pow	1st " G P.T.
	"	Chas. F. A. Hall	Asst G.
	"	Arthur P. Marden	M. D.
	"	John M Bailey	S. ProTem

Em. Sirs W. R. Johnson. Green Davis G. E Collins H. W. Little and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery

F. V. Brown.	H. W. Bayley	James Black
C. E. Cooke	W. Gillis	G. A. Johnson
N. Johnson	A. D. Merrill	H. P. Noyes
R. W. Nelson	E. M. Osgood	F. E. Page
F. M. Sweett		

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars

Records of last stated and special Conclaves read and declared approved

Communications from Mrs Gustavus Cammett Mrs W. Herbert Noyes. and Mrs Warren W. Pillsbury expressing thanks for flowers sent

sympathy extended to them by the Commandery
Received and filed.
Com. from St Johns Lodge expressing the thanks
of the lodge for the action of the Commandery
in paying a proportionate part of the cost
of improvements at Masonic Hall. Received
and filed

The following Applications for the Orders of
Knighthood were received.

Application Companion Hiram Pearson Macintosh Newburyport, Ins.
Hiram Born in Newburyport May 31 1888
Pearson Raised in Saint Johns Lodge Newburyport
Macintosh Exalted in King Cyrus Chapter "
Member of St. Johns Lodge and King Cyrus Chapter
Recommended by Sir Knights H. W. Bayley. A.P.
Marden. R.W Nelson and C A Stockman
Referred to Em Sir Green Davis and Sirs C.J. Gurney
C.H. Nelson

Application Companion Charles. F. Johnson Physician Newburyport
Charles Born in Boston December 11 1860
F. Raised in St. Johns Lodge Newburyport
Johnson Exalted in King Cyrus Chapter "
Member of St Johns Lodge and King Cyrus Chapter
Recommended by Em. Sir I. S Butler. and Sirs H.W
Bayley. C.P. A Hale and D. A Lunt
Referred to Em. Sirs. W.R. Johnson J. N. Dummer
and Sir A. W. Kimball

Application Companion Harold Forsyth Lunt Undertaker City
Harold Born in Newburyport November 13 1889
Forsyth Raised in St. John Lodge Newburyport
Lunt Exalted in King Cyrus Chapter "
Member of St. John Lodge & King Cyrus Chapter
Recommended by Sir Knights A.P. Marden A.K. Cheney
F. V. Brown and R. W Nelson

Referred to Em. Sir G. E. Collins. and Sirs G. A Johnson
and

Application Companion Robert Kendall Cheney. M. Picture Operator City
Robert Born in Salisbury July 18th 1891
Kendall Raised in St. Johns Lodge and Newburyport
Cheney Exalted in King Cyrus Chapter "
Member of St Johns Lodge & King Cyrus Chapter
Recommended by Sir Knights H.W. Bayley. A.P.
Marden A.K. Cheney and R.W. Nelson
Referred to Em. Sir H.W. Little and Sirs A.D. Merrill
C.P.A. Hall

Application Companion Sanfred Anderson. Trimmer Amesbury
Sanfred Born in Sorby Sweden June 20 1894
Anderson Raised in Warren Lodge Amesbury
Exalted in Trinity Chapter "
Member of Warren Lodge and Trinity Chapter
Recommended by Em. Sir Geo. E Collins. and Sirs
J W Gurney F.M. Swett and E.M. Osgood
Referred to Em Sir S L. Porter and Sirs C.R. Scott and
S. J. Dauphinee

Application Companion Charles Edward Worthen Wood Worker Amesbury
Charles Born in Mendon. Mass October 31 1893
Edward Raised in Warren Lodge Amesbury
Worthen Exalted in Trinity Chapter "
Member of Warren Lodge & Trinity Chapter
Recommended by Sir Knights C.R. Scott. J. Poor
F. M. Swett and E. M. Osgood
Referred to Em Sir S. L. Porter and Sirs A.M. Parry
J.W. Gurney

Application Companion Cleveland Hendrick Lewis Amesbury
Cleveland Locomotive Firemen
Hendrick Born in Brownfield Maine July 31 1888
Lewis Raised in St Andrews Lodge No 56 N.H.
Exalted in Trinity Chapter Amesbury Mass

Member of St. Andrews Lodge & Trinity Chapter Recommended by Sir Knights C.R. Scott J. Pow. F.M. Scott and E.M. Osgood Referred to Em Sir G.E. Collins and Sirs J.W Clark and J. Walter Webster

Companion W.C. Noyes rejected

The committee to whom was referred the petition of Companion William C. Noyes reported a ballot was ordered and he was declared rejected

Companion Joseph H Hudson rejected

The committee to whom was referred the petition of Companion Joseph H. Hudson reported a ballot was ordered. and he was declared rejected

Companion Albert J Kranz rejected

The committee to whom was referred the petition of Companion Albert J. Kranz. reported a ballot was ordered and he was rejected

Remit dues of enlisted Sir Knights

It was unanimously voted to remit the dues of any and all members of Newburyport Commandery during the service of enlistment

Discussion on change of By-Laws, in reference to making it compulsory that each Sir Knight be knighted in his own regalia, was made by advocates of both sides of the question

Order of Malta C.G. Merrill

Business in the Commandery was suspended and a Priory of Knights of Malta opened, and the Order was conferred upon Companion Chester G. Merrill. there being no further business to bring before the Commandery it was closed without form

Attest Chas. A Stockman
Recorder

Attendance 32

Newburyport May 17 1917

A Stated Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No 3 K.T. was convened at the Asylum this evening

Present	Em. Sir	Irving S. Butler	E.C.
	"	Albert K. Cheney	G.
	"	Charles P. Pillsbury	C.G.
	"	Alfred W. Kimball	J.W
	" "	Joseph N. Dummer	P.
	"	Charles A Stockman	Sec
	"	Wilbur Abbott	St. B.
	"	Oscar H. Nelson	W.
	"	Daniel A Lunt	3rd G
	"	Charles W. Perry Jr	2nd G.
	"	John Port	1st G P.T.
	"	Charles F. A Hall	asst G
	"	Charles E Houghton	" G
	"	Arthur P. Marden	War D.
	"	Frank H Rundlett	S.

Em. Sirs W.R. Johnson. C.J. Gurney. G.E. Collins Benjamin Pearson S.L. Porter

and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery No 3

E.R. Ayers Jr. A Barboro. J.E. Baumgartner. W.E. Bassett
J.M. Bailey H.W. Bayley LeRoy Berry. F.V. Brown
L.B. Cheney. S.J. Dauphinee. J.W. Gurney. W. Gillis
P.S. Galuzzi N. Johnson. G.A Johnson. C.D Montgomery
R.J. McKinney A.D Merrill F.O. Moore H.S. Noyes
E.M. Osgood C.L Perkins A.H Reynolds, A.F. Swain
J. Talbot J.W. Webster A.A. H Whelpley

Visitors
Sir Kt. Emil Niemi Springfield Com. #6 Springfield Mass
" " C.W Bean Bethany " #17 Lawrence "
" " T.F Adams Joseph Warren " #26 Roxbury "

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars

Record of Stated and Special Conclaves read and approved

Com. from Mrs D. E. Hill thanking the Commandery for flowers sent Sir Kt. Hill during his late illness received and filed

Com. from Sir Knight A. D. McFarlin recorder of St George Commandery No 44 of Beverly. stating that at the Conclave held May 10. that the proposed pilgrimage of June 24 was discussed and the sentiment of the Sir Knights was that the same be postponed the above communication was received and ordered filed

The following Dispensation was received

Office of the R. E. Grand Commander
General Order No 4) 244 Main Street Springfield Mass
Series of 1916-1917)

To the Eminent Commanders: Officers and Sir Knights of the Jurisdiction of Massachusetts, and Rhode Island:

Greeting:

In order the several Commanderies of this jurisdiction may observe the anniversary of St. Johns Day by a pilgrimage or Field Day.

I, by virtue of the power in me vested as the Grand Commander of the Grand Commandery of Massachusetts and Rhode Island, hereby grant this, my dispensation, authorizing the Commanderies throughout this jurisdiction to parade within this jurisdiction in full Templar uniform, with or without banners, and music

during the period between and including the first and the thirtieth days of June. 1917 for the purpose of celebrating the anniversary of St. Johns Day. making fraternal visitations or for other purposes.

Due and proper return to be made to me of the action had under this authority within thirty days of its acceptance, and this dispensation filed in the archives of the Commandery and spread in full upon the records.

Given under my hand and seal of the Grand Commandery this first day of May A.D. 1917. A.O. 799.

(signed) Samuel D. Sherwood
Grand Commander

(seal)

attest
(signed) B. W. Rowell
Grand Recorder

It was voted that a page of the Records be set aside and dedicated to the memory of our late Sir Knight Warren W. Pillsbury

Em. Commander Butler reported for the Committee on the proposed pilgrimage to Bay of Naples Inn at the head of Sebago Lake Maine that the committee had been called together and that it was the sentiment of the Committee that under the existing conditions of the Country at this time, that the trip be postponed. it was brought out in the discussion which followed that several Commanderies had postponed their proposed outings. as well as some other bodies and it was unanimously voted on motion of Sir

Knight H. W. Bayley. that the vote whereby we voted to participate in the pilgrimage to Bay of Naples Inn on St. Johns Day. be rescinded and postponed indefinitely.

Companion Robert K Cheney elected

The committee to whom the application of Comp. Robert K. Cheney was referred. reported. a ballot was ordered and he was declared elected to receive the Order of Knighthood as conferred by Newburyport Commandery

Comp. Sanfred Anderson elected

The committee to whom the application of Comp. Sanfred Anderson. reported. a ballot was ordered. and he was declared elected to receive the Order of Knighthood as conferred by Newburyport Commandery

Comp. Chas. E. Worthen elected

The committee to whom the application of Comp. Charles E. Worthen was referred. reported a ballot was ordered and he was declared elected to receive the Orders of Knighthood as conferred by Newburyport Commandery

Companion Cleveland H. Lewis elected

The committee to whom the application of Comp. Cleveland H. Lewis. was referred reported, a ballot was ordered. and he was declared elected to receive the "Order of Knighthood as conferred by Newburyport Commandery

Comp. C. P. Johnson rejected

The committee to whom the application of Comp. Charles P. Johnson was referred. reported a ballot was ordered. and he was declared rejected

Comp. H. F. Lunt rejected

The committee to whom the application of Comp. Harold F. Lunt was referred. reported. A ballot was ordered. and he was declared rejected

Comp H. P. Macintosh rejected

The committee to whom the application of Comp. Hiram P. Macintosh was referred. reported. a ballot was ordered. and he was declared rejected

Business in the Commandery was suspended and a Council of the Ill. Order of the Red Cross opened and the Order was conferred upon

Red Cross S. Anderson R. K. Cheney C. H. Lewis C. E. Worthen

Companion Sanfred Anderson
" Robert K. Cheney
" Cleveland H. Lewis
" Charles E. Worthen.

Council of the Ill. Order of the Red Cross closed and a Priory of Malta opened. and the Order of Knights of Malta. was conferred upon

Malta to

Companion Sanfred Anderson
" Robert K. Cheney
" Cleveland H. Lewis
" Charles E. Worthen

There being no further business to come before the Commandery at this time. it was closed without form.

Attendance	Sir Knights of Newburyport Com.	43
	Visiting Sir Knights	3
	Total	46

Attest Charles A. Stockman
Recorder

In Memoriam

Warren W. Pillsbury
born in
Manchester N.H. Sept 10 1848

Lafayette Lodge No 41 A.F.&A.M. Manchester

Entered Apprentice	Dec. 28 1869
Fellowcraft	Jan. 24 1870
Master Mason	Feb. 28 1870

King Hiram Chapter R.A.M. Lewiston, Me.

Mark Master	Jan. 26 1872
Past Master	Feb. 16 1872
Most Excellent Master	Feb. 16 1872
Royal Arch Mason	Mch 8 1872

Dunlap Council No 3 R&S.M. Lewiston Me

Royal Master	Apr. 23 1872
Select Master	Apr. 23 1872
Super Excellent Master	Nov. 12 1872

Lewiston Commandery No 6 K.T. Lewiston, Me.

Red Cross	Feb. 27 1873
Temple	Mch. 20 1873
Malta	Apr. 24 1873

Newburyport Commandery No 3 K.T. Newburyport

Elected to Membership	Nov. 16 1893

Died in Newburyport, Mass
March 31 1917

Newburyport June 21 1917

A Stated Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No 3 K.Ts. was convened at the Asylum this evening

Present	Em Sir	Irving S. Butler	E.C.
	"	Albert K. Cheney	G.
	"	Charles F. Pillsbury	C.G.
	"	Oscar H. Nelson	S.W. Pro Tem
	"	Alfred W. Kimball	J.W.
	"	Joseph N. Dummer	P.
	"	Charles A Stockman	R.
	"	Charles. E. Houghton	W. Pro Tem
	"	Charles W. Perry Jr.	3rd G. " "
	"	John Poor	2nd G. " "
	"	Chas F. A. Hall	1st G. " "
	"	Arthur P. Marden	M.D.
	"	Frank H Rundlett	S.

Em. Sirs W. R. Johnson. G. E. Collins. S. L. Porter and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Com. No 3

E.R. Ayers Jr.
G. H. Dow.
W. Gillis
Isaac Poor.
J. W. Talbot

W. D. Adams.
C. E. Davis
E. M. Osgood
A.H. Reynolds.

W. F. Cook.
F. V. Brown
A. N. Parry
A F. Swain

Visitor
Sir Kt. Thomas. F. Adams. Jos. Warren Com. # 26 of
Boston Mass.

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars

Records of last stated Conclave read and approved

Com. from Mrs W. H. Noyes thanking the commandery for flowers sent to Sir Knight W. H. Noyes during his sickness. recd and filed

General Order No 5 Series 1916-1917

General Order No 5 1916-1917

Office of the R. E. Grand Commander
244 Main St. Springfield Mass
June 7 1917

General Order No 5
Series of 1916-1917
Samuel. D. Sherwood
Grand Commander

In order that the interests of Templar Masonry may be properly promoted in this Grand Jurisdiction, the Grand Commandery of Mass. and Rhode Island. in Semi Annual Conclave assembld. May 24 1917. voted. "That every Commandery within this Grand Jurisdiction be required to present to each and every candidate a complete Knight Templar Regalia on or before the date of his receiving the Order of the Temple; this order to take effect September 1. 1917."

This means that on and after that date every candidate must be knighted in his own Templar regalia.

Commanders will see to it. that this order is promptly obeyed as being one of the indespensible requirements of this Grand Commandery and in full accord with the spirit and genius of Templarism.

Seventeen Commanderies have anticipated this order by embodying the requirements in their By-Laws. and the results obtained by them are sufficient warrant for its inforcement in all Commanderies.

Due and proper return to be made to me of the action had under this authority on or before September 1. 1917. and this Order filed in the Archives of each Commandery and spread in full upon its records.

Given under my hand. and the seal of the Grand Commandery this seventh day of June. A.D. 1917. A.O. 799

(signed) Samuel D. Sherwood
Grand Commander

Attest
(seal.) (signed) B. W. Rowell
Grand Recorder

It was voted that the Council ascertain the cost of a Knight Templar regalia. and what constitutes a complete regalia and report at the next regular Conclave

Amendment to By-Laws.

The following amendment to the By-Laws. was submitted by Em. Sir W. R. Johnson they same to be referred to the Council as a Committee

That Article 6, Section 1 be amended so as to increase the fee for the Orders, to such an amount as will cover the amount required to furnish a regalia. so that the Commandery can comply with the requirements of the Grand Commandery of Massachusetts and Rhode Island

It was voted that the July and August Conclaves be omitted. and that the next regular Conclave be held on the third Thursday in September

Sir Kt. R. L. Stevens dues remitted — It was voted that the dues of Sir Kt. Royal L. Stevens be remitted to Sept. 30 1917 amounting $24.-

Sir Kt. A. W Greeley 50 years Member — It was voted that the Recorder be instructe to send a letter of Congratulations to Sir Knight Adolphus W. Greeley. he having attained a membership in Newburyport Commandery of 50 years. June 17 1917

The Order of the Temple

Temple — was conferred upon

C. G. Merrill — Companions Chester Garfield Merrill
R K Cheney — Robert Kendall Cheney
C E Worthen — Charles Edward Worthen
C H. Lewis — Cleveland Hendrick Lewis
S. Anderson — Sanfred Anderson

Attendance
Sir Knights 29
" " visitor 1
total 30

Attest
Charles A Stockman
Recorder

Newburyport September 20 1917

The Annual Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No 3 Knights Templar was convened at the Asylum held in Masonic Hall at 7-30 o'clock this evening

Present.	Em. Sir.	Irving S. Butler	E.C.
	"	Albert K. Cheney	G.
	"	Charles. F. Pillsbury	C.G.
	"	Alfred W. Kimball	J. W
	" "	Joseph N. Dummer	P.
	"	Edward E. Hicken	Treas.
	"	Charles. A Stockman	Rec-
	"	Wilbur Abbott	St. B-
	"	Oscar H Nelson	W.-
	"	Daniel A Lunt	3rd G
	"	Chas. W. Perry Jr.	2nd G
	"	John Poor	1st G. Pt.
	"	Arthur P. Marden	M. D.
	"	Frank H. Rundlett	Sentinel

Em. Sirs William R. Johnson, Green Davis. Geo. E. Collins Ben. Pearson Henry W. Little
and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Com.

E. R. Ayer Jr.
H. W. Bayley
G. A Johnson
F. O. Morse
A N. Parry
A A. H Whelpley
Visitor

J. M. Bailey
L. B. Cheney
N. Johnson
H. S. Noyes
A. H Reynolds
J. W. Webster

W. E. Bassett
R. K. Cheney
C. D. Montgomery
E. M. Osgood
A. F. Swain

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templar

Records of last stated Conclave read and approved

Communication from Sir Knight A. W. Greeley acknowledging receipt of letter of congratulations from the Commandery on his attainment of half century membership ~~with~~ them. and assuring them of his warm and continued attachment to Newburyport Commandery, was received and filed

It was voted that a page of the Records be set aside and dedicated to the memory of our late Sir Knights William R. Usher. William H Noyes. and Antonio Barboro

The committee on Change in By-Laws. made a partial report. and it was voted that they be granted further time

It was voted that the dues of Sir Knights John W Talbot and Royal L. Stevens be remitted for the year ending Sept. 30 1918

The Em. Commander stated for the Auditing Committee that the books of the Treasurer Secretary and Trustees of the Permanent Fund had been audited and found correct.

Secretarys Report.

September 17 1917

To the Em. Com. Officers and members of Newburyport Commandery No 3. I present to you the following report for the year ending September 17 1917

Membership

Membership Sept. 16 1916 active	230	
Honorary	4	
		234
Candidates who received the Orders	13	
" admitted to Membership	1	14
total		248

		248
Eight Sir Knights have died during the year	8	
One " " has demitted	1	9
Membership Sept 17 1917		239
active Members	235	
Honorary "	4	239

Receipts

For Orders conferred (13)	650.00	
" Back dues collected	264.50	
" Dues charged to Sept 30 1917	596.50	
" Advance Dues	40.50	
" Badges sold	18.00	
total		$1569.50

Condition of Dues

Dues unpaid Sept. 14 1916	487.00	
" Charged to Sept. 30 1917	892.50	
" " to Dec 31 1917	3.00	
" " to Feb 15 1918	7.50	
" " to June 30 1918	18.00	
" " to Sept. 30 1918	12.00 $	
		1420.00
Dues unpaid at death (3)	11.00	
" paid during the year	901.50	
" remitted 3 Sir Knights	32.00	
	944.50	$ 944.50
Dues unpaid Sept 17 1917		475.50

Classification of Dues Unpaid Sept. 17 1917

One 1 Sir Knight owes		$1-		
41 " " "	$4 each	164-		
1 " " "		7-		
1 " " "		7.50		
20 " " "	$8 each	160.-		
1 " " "		12-		
1 " " "		16-		
4 " " "	$20 each	80-		
1 " " "		28-	475.50	
71				

Of the above 29 Sir Knights owe five or more quarters dues amounting to $310.50

Respectfully submitted
Chas. L. Stickman Recorder

The list of Sir Knights owing five or more quarters was then read according to the By-Laws
It was voted that the report of the Secretary be accepted and placed on file

Treasurers Report

Newburyport Sept 20 1917

To the Eminent Commander. and Members of Newburyport Commandery:-

I submit the following report for the year ending Sept. 15 1917

Receipts

Cash on hand at the beginning of the Year	\$309.68
Received from C. A Stockman Rec.	1569.50
	\$1879.18

Expenditures

Rent of Hall	\$150,00	
Flowers	65.37	
Recorders Salary	50.–	
Permanent Fund	150 –	
Per Capita Tax	98.50	
Postage	103.57	
Printing	125.50	
Catering and Cigars	498.37	
H. W. Clark Jewels	152.75	
F. H. Rundlett Tyler	30.71	
Repairs in Lodge Room + Armory	8247	
Deposited in Five Cent Savings Bank	50. –	
Misc. accounts	60,06	
Total Expenses	1617.30	1617.30
Bal. on hand in F. N. Bank		261.88
On Deposit in Five Cent Sav. Bank		1259.16
Total funds in hands of Treas		1521.04

Respectfully submitted
(signed) Edward. E. Hicken
Treas.

It was voted that the report of the Treasurer be accepted and placed on file

Report of the Trustees of the Permanent Fund

Em. Sir Green Davis reported for the Trustees as follows.

Deposited in Ins. for Savings Bank Book No 65610 amt of same being	\$153.00
Deposited in Five Cent Savings Bank Book No 12999	1287.07
	\$1440.07

It was voted that the report be accepted and placed on file

It was voted that the dues of Sir Knight James D. Lewis be remitted to Sept. 30 1917
It was voted that the dues of Sir Knight William H. Hoyne be remitted to Sept. 30 1917

It was voted on motion of Em. Sir Geo. E Collins that the salary of the Recorder for the ensuing year be \$75.00

Election of Officers

The Em. Com. appointed Em. Sirs W. R. Johnson Green Davis. and G. E Collins as a committee to receive sort and count the ballots
It was voted that the Recorder be instructed to cast one ballot (for the Commandery), bearing the name of Irving S. Butler for Eminent Commander for the ensuing year. the Recorder attended to that duty. and Irving S. Butler was elected Commander. Em. Sir Butler thanked the Commandery for the honor conferred upon him but declined the honor. stating that for business and other reasons he would not be able to serve and requested the Sir Knights to prepare their ballots for Em. Commander. The result of the balloting was as follows

Whole number of votes cast	30
Necessary for a choice	16

Em. Commander

Irving S. Butler had 1
Charles F. Pillsbury " 1
Albert K. Cheney " 28

On motion of Sir Knight Pillsbury. the vote for Albert K. Cheney was made Unanimous and he accepted the office

Generallissomo

Whole number of votes cast 25
Necessary for a choice 13
A.W. Kimball had 1
C.F. Pillsbury had 24

On motion of A.W.Kimball the vote was made unanimous and C F. Pillsbury accepted the office of Generalissomo

Captain General

Whole number of votes cast 24
all of which were for Alfred W.Kimball. and he was declared elected and accepted the office of Captain General.

Senior Warden

Whole number of votes cast 22
Necessary for a choice 12
Daniel A Lunt had 1
Oscar H Nelson " 21

On motion of Sir Kt. Lunt the vote was made unanimous and he accepted the office

Junior Warden

Whole number of votes cast 23
All of which were for Daniel A Lunt and he accepted the office

Prelate

It was voted that the Recorder be instructed to cast one vote (for the Commandery) for Em. Sir Joseph Y Dummer for Prelate for the ensuing year. this duty being performed Em. Sir Dummer was declared elected for the office of Prelate. and accepted the same

Treasurer

It was voted that the Recorder be instructed to cast for the Commandery one ballot bearing the name of Edward E. Hicken that duty having been performed. he was declared elected. and accepted the office

Recorder.

It was voted that the Treasurer be instructed to cast for the Commandery one ballot bearing the name of Charles A Stockman for Recorder the Treasurer deposited the ballot and Charles A Stockman was declared elected Recorder and accepted the office

Trustee for 3 years of the Permanent Fund

It was voted that the Recorder be instructed to cast for the Commandery one ballot bearing the name Green Davis for Trustee of the Permanent Fund for three years. this duty being performed. and Em. Sir Davis was elected and accepted the office of Trustee of the Permanent Fund for three years.

It was voted on motion of Harry. W. Bayley. that a committee be appointed to procure a Past Commanders jewel, for the retiring Commander. and Sir Kt. Bayley was appointed a committee of one to procure the jewel

There being no further business to bring before the Commandery it was closed

Attendance
Sir Knights 36
Visitors 1
Total 37

Attest
Charles. A Stockman
Recorder

In Memoriam

Antonio Barbaro

born
February 6 1852

Saint Marks Lodge A.F.and A.M.

Entered Apprentice	April 9 1894
Fellow Craft.	June 11 1894
Master Mason	July 9 1894

King Cyrus Chapter R.A.M.

Mark Master Mason	April 11 1895
Past Master	April 11 1895
Most Excellent Master	May 9 1895
Royal Arch Mason	May 9 1895

Amesbury Council R.&S.M.

Royal Master	November 26 1895
Select Master	December 11 1895
Super. Excellent Master	January 28 1896

Newburyport Commandery K.T.

Red Cross	July 18 1895
Temple	July 22 1895
Malta	July 22 1895

Died July 18 1917

In Memoriam

William R. Usher

born

July 4 1845

Saint Johns Lodge A.F.A.M.

Entered Apprentice	March 18 1890
Fellow Craft	April 18 1890
Master Mason	May 29 1890

King Cyrus Chapter R.A.M.

Mark Master Mason	June 3 1895
Past Master	June 3 1895
Most Excellent Master	June 13 1895
Royal Arch Mason	June 14 1895

Newburyport Commandery K.T.

Red Cross	July 18 1895
Temple	July 22 1895
Malta	July 22 1895

died
July 4 1917
at
Stockbridge Vt.

In Memoriam

William H. Noyes
born
February 13 1848

Saint John Lodge A.F. & A.M.

Entered Apprentice	November 6 1890
Fellow Craft	December 4 1890
Master Mason	January 1 1891

King Cyrus Chapter R.A.M.

Mark Master Mason	February 12 1891
Past Master	March 12 1891
Most Excellent Master	March 12 1891
Royal Arch Mason	March 13 1891

Newburyport Commandery K.T.

Red Cross	March 18-1897
Temple	April 16-1897
Malta	April 16-1897

died

August 15 1917
at
Newburyport Mass

Newburyport October 18 1917

A Stated Conclave of Newburyport Commandery K. T. No 3 was Convened at the Asylum this evening

Present

Em. Sir	Irving S. Butler	Com.
"	Albert K. Cheney	G.
"	Charles. F. Pillsbury	C.G.
"	Alfred W. Kimball	J.W.
" "	Joseph N. Dummer	P.
"	Charles. A Stockman	R.
"	Wilbur Abbott	St.B.
"	Oscar. H. Nelson	W.
"	Chas. W. Perry Jr.	2nd G.
"	John Pow.	1st G. Pro tem
"	Charles. P. A Hall	asst G.
"	Arthur. P. Marden	M.D
"	Frank H. Rundlett	S. -

Em Sirs W.R. Johnson Green Davis. William G. Fisher Henry W. Little, and Samuel L. Porter and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery No 3

Edward R. Ayers. Jr.
S Anderson
P.V. Brown
J.W. Gurney
R.J. McKinney
E.M. Osgood
A. P. Swain
C. E. Worthen

Albert P. Atkinson
H.W. Bayley
L. Berry
G. A. Johnson
H.S. Noyes
F. E. Page
A. A. H. Whelpley
Laurence B. Cheney

Arthur M. Alley
J.M. Bailey
S. J. Dauphinee
A.D. Merrill
E. F. Noyes
N. Russell
J. H. Wheeler

Visitor

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars

Records of last Stated Conclave read and approved

Communications from Grand Encampment General Order No 7. and General Order No 6 of the Grand Commandery received and ordered to be filed

Voted to purchase $1000.— L. Loan Bond

It was voted on motion made by Sir Kt. J. H. Wheeler, that the Treasurer be instructed to purchase $1000.— of Liberty Bonds, from the funds in his charge. and that the income of the same be deposited in the Savings Bank in his charge the above vote was a unanimous one

Installation of Officers

Em. Sir Butler at this time instructed the Junior Warden to escort Em Sir W. R. Johnson to the head of the lines, and resigned the head of the Commandery to him for the purpose of Installing the Officers his first duty was to appoint Em. Sir Butler as Grand Warder. and proceeded to install the Em. Commander elect Albert R. Cheney. at the close of this ceremony Em. Sir Cheney made the following appointments.

Appointments

Sir Kt	Frank V. Brown	Standard Bearer
" "	Lawrence B Cheney	Sword Bearer
" "	Chas. W. Perry Jr.	Warder
" "	John Poor.	3rd Guard
" "	Chas. F. A Hall	2nd Guard
" "	Alfred D. Merrill	1st Guard
" "	William E Bassett	asst "
" "	Edward R. Ayers Jr.	" "
" "	Sanfred Anderson	" "

Arthur P. Marden	Musical Director
Frank H. Rundlett	Sentinel

The elective and appointed officers were then installed and acting Grand Warder I. S. Butler. made the usual proclamation that the officers of Newburyport Commandery No 3 K. Ts. were regularly and duly installed with the exception of the Junior Warden Treasurer and Asst guard W. E Bassett

At this time Em Sir W. R. Johnson presented to Past Commander Irving Selwyn Butler. a past commander Jewel. and congratulated him on the successful year that the Commandery had passed under his administration. P. C. Butler thanked the Commandery in his usual forceful manner for the jewel. and expressed great pleasure of attaining to that point where he was entitled to wear a jewel presented by Newburyport Com.

Em. Sir Cheney thanked the Installing Officers for their services. and directed the Sen. Warden to escort them to their seats

There being no further business to come before the Commandery, it was closed by Commander Cheney

Attest Chas. A Stockman
Recorder

Attendance	42
" Visitors	1
Total	43

Newburyport November 15 1917

A Stated Conclave of Newburyport Commandery K's T's No 3, was convened at the Asylum this evening

Present

Em. Sir	Albert K. Cheney	Com.
"	Charles P. Pillsbury	G
"	Alfred W. Kimball	C.G.
"	Oscar. H. Nelson	S.W
"	Daniel. A. Lunt	J.W.
Em. "	Joseph N. Dummer	P.
"	Charles. A Stockman	R.
"	Frank V. Brown	St. B
"	Lawrence B. Cheney	Sw. B
"	Charles. W. Perry Jr.	W.
"	Alfred. D. Merrill	1st G
"	William E. Bassett	ast. G
"	Edward R. Ayers Jr.	" "
"	Sanfred Anderson	" "
"	Arthur P. Marden	M.D
"	Frank H. Rundlett	S.

Em. Sirs W.R. Johnson. Green Davis. S. L. Porter. " " I.S. Butler and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery

A. W. Alley J.M. Bailey I.S. Butler
C. E. Davis N. Johnson W. McKay
H.S. Noyes R.E. Page A.H. Reynolds
A. F. Swain G.H. Worham and
W. F. Merrill 2nd Lieut Signal O.R.C.

Visitor Sir Kt. Thomas. F. Adams. Jos. Warren Com. #26 Boston. Mass

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars

Records of last Stated Conclave read and approved

Application of Companion George Edward Morey for the Order of Knighthood

Application of Comp G.E. Morey Born in Newburyport Mass. June 17 1883
Raised in Saint Marks Lodge
Exalted in King Cyrus Chapter
Member of Saint Marks Lodge & King Cyrus Chapter
Recommended by Sirs. C.W. Perry Jr. William E. Bassett C.A. Stockman and A.D. Merrill and referred to Em Sir J. N. Dummer. and Sirs A. W. Kimball C. P. A. Hall for investigation

Gen. Order No 1 1917-1918 General Orders No 1 Series of 1917-1918 of the Grand Commandery of K's T's containing the sentiment prepared by the committee on Christmas Observance to Most Eminent Sir Lee. S. Smith Grand Master and his response. were read and ordered to be filed

Gen. Orders No 2 1917-1918 General Order No 2 Series of 1917-1918 of the Grand Commandery of K's T's. giving the particulars of Inspection of the various Commanderies. Newbury-port Commandery No 3 being in the fourth division. and to be inspected by Em. Sir Charles R. Hunt. Grand Standard Bearer 474. County St. New Bedford. Mass. read and ordered to be filed

It was voted on motion made by Em Sir S.L. Porter that a committee of eight (8) be appointed to interview all Sir Knights as far as able. and notify those at a distance of the request of the Grand Encampment for contributions to a fund to be used for those who are called to the col
The following was the committee as appointed
Em Sirs W.R. Johnson. Green Davis. G.E. Collins

B. Pearson H. W. Little J. N. Dummer S. L. Porter and I. S. Butler

Official Circular No 1 1917-1918

Official Circular No 1 from the Grand Commandery containing the names of the officers for the ensuing Templar year, giving the returns of the Commanderies which showed a net gain for the year of 371 and a total membership Sept. 30 1917 of 19,007. read and ordered to be filed

At this time Em Sir W. R. Johnson assisted by Em Sir I. S. Butler as acting Grand Warden. installed the Junior Warden Sir D. A. Lunt. and Assistant Guard Sir W. E. Bassett

The committee on change of By-Laws, reported that before the next Conclave. they would have a By-Law to cover the amount necessary for the addition of a regalia to the price of the orders

Commandery closed

Attendance

Sir Knights of Newburyport Com.	31
visiting Sir Knights	1
total	32

Attest
Charles A Stockman
Recorder

Newburyport December 20 1917

A Stated Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No 3 Knights Templar was convened at the Asylum in Masonic Hall State Street this evening

Present

Em Sir	Albert K. Cheney	Com.
"	Chas. F. Pillsbury	Gen
"	Alfred W. Kimball	C. G.
"	Oscar H. Nelson	S. W
"	Daniel A. Lunt	J. W.
"	Joseph N. Dummer	P
"	Edward E. Hicken	T
"	Chas. A. Stockman	Rec.
"	Frank V. Brown	S. B. (absent)
"	Chas. W. Perry Jr.	W
"	John Pow	3rd G
"	Chas. P. A. Hall	2nd G
"	Alfred D. Merrill	1st G.
"	William E. Bassett	asst G
"	Edward R. Ayers Jr.	" G
"	Sangfred Anderson	" G
"	Arthur P. Marden	M. D.
"	Frank H. Rundlett	S.

Em Sirs W. R. Johnson. G. E. Collins S. L. Porter I. S. Butler
and
the following members of Newburyport Com. No 3

A. T. Atkinson J. W. Gurney W. Gillis
N. Johnson Wm McKay F. O. Morse
E. M. Osgood and C. Horsham

Visitors
Sir Kt. Emil Merni Springfield Com. #6 Springfield Mass
" " Thomas F. Adams Jos. Warren " #26 Boston "

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars

Records of last Stated Conclave read and approved

Gen. Order No 3 Series 17–18

General Orders No 3 Series 1917–1918 of the Grand Com. of K's T's and the appendant orders of Mass. & R.I. giving "Instructions and Suggestions to Division Commanders and Commanders of Commanderies" read and ordered to be filed

Food Economy

Circular from the Grand Commander suggesting food economy in collations and banquets read and ordered to be filed

Page of the Records Sir Kt. John Wills

It was voted that a page of the Records be set aside and dedicated to the the memory of our late Sir Kt. John Wills who died in Portland Oregon December 5th 1917

No revision of the By Laws

The Council reported on revision of By Law. that no revision was necessary but that every Sir Knight would be knighted in his own regalia on Motion of Em. Sir J. N. Dummer it was voted that the report be accepted and adopted.

Treasurer installed

The Treasurer was installed at this time. he being unable to be present at the time the officers were installed

Comp. Geo. E Morey elected

The committee to whom the application for the Orders of Comp. Geo. E. Morey had been referred reported, a ballot was ordered. and he was declared elected to receive the Orders as conferred by Newburyport Commandery

Red Cross opened

Business was suspended in the Commandery. and a Council of the "Ill. Order of the Red Cross" opened

Red Cross on Comp. G. E. Morey

The Order of the Ill. Order of the Red Cross was conferred upon Comp. George Edward Morey

Closed the "Ill Order of the Red Cross" and business in the Commandery resumed

Commandery closed by Em. Sir Cheney

Attendance

Sir Knights of N Port. Com.	29
" " Visitors	2
total	31

Attest Chas. A Stockman
Recorder

Newburyport. Dec 25 1917

Officers Present at this Conclave

Em Sir A.K. Cheney Com. Sir C.P. Pillsbury Gen. Sir A.W. Kimball C.G.
Sir C.H. Nelson S.W. Sir D.A. Lunt J.W. Sir E.E. Hickin Treas
Sir C.A. Stockman R. Sir F.V. Brown St.B. " L.B. Cheney S.B.
Sir C.W. Perry Jr W. Sir John Porr 3rd G. " C.F.A. Hale 2nd G.
Sir A.D. Merrill 1st G. Sir W.E. Bassett asst G. " E.R. Ayer Jr a.G.
Sir S. Anderson asst G. Sir A.P. Marden M.D. " F.H. Rundlett S.
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Em Sir W.R. Johnson. Green Davis Moses Brown
C.J. Gurney. C.P. Worthen J.E. McCusker W.G. Fisher
G.E. Collins H.W. Little S.L. Porter & I.S. Butler
And the following Sir Knights of N.Port Commandery
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A.J. Anderson. A.T. Atkinson W.D. Adams. R.G. Adams
W. Abbott. H.W. Bayley. J. Block H.C. Bates
G.L. Bean. J.M. Bailey. A.H. Berry R.H. Bolleman
H.A. Besse. S. Besse. C.W. Cooke R.K. Cheney
C.E. Davis S.J. Dauphinee G.H. Dorr C.C. Emery
I.A. French Wm Gillis C.E. Houghton W.B. Hopkinson
C.E. Ives N. Johnson G.A. Johnson M. Kimball
W.P. Lovell P.J. Lovell C.H. Lewis M.B. Merrill
R.J. McKinney W. McKay T.J. Maddock H.S. Noyes
C.M. Osgood A.M. Parry F.E. Page C.L. Perkins
F.W. Piper A.G. Quimby A.H. Reynolds W.J. Riley
A.F. Swain J.W. Talbot A.A. Whelpley T.P. Walton
J.H. Wheeler R.H. Wilde C.E. Worthen J.H. Walker
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Visitors

Sir Kt. J.F. Howard	St George	Com.	No 44	Beverly Mass
" " A.C. Holland	Bethlehem	"	No 43	Gloucester "
" " E.W. Larrabee	St George	"	——	Nashua N.H.
" " J.W. Brown	DeWitt Clinton	"	——	Portsmouth N.H.
" " F.L. Harding	Bristol	"	No 29	Attleboro Mass
" " A. Benedict	Apollo	"	No 16	Troy N. York
" " E. Miami	Springfield	"	" 6	Springfield Mass

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Newburyport December 25 1917

A Special Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No 3 K.T. was convened at the Asylum on State Street at 11 o'clock A.M. for the purpose of

The Christmas Observance

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars
Em. Com. Cheney stated that this Special Conclave was called in compliance to the request of the
R. E. Grand Commander for the
Observance of Christmas.

#1
Promptly at 12 o'clock the Em. Commander read the sentiment prepared by the Committee on Christmas Observance of the Grand Encampment of the U.S. of America
To Most Eminent Lee. S. Smith Grand Master

This was responded to by the Recorder reading the Grand Masters response

#2
The Em. Commander then offered the following toast
To Right Eminent William H. Emerson Grand Commander of Knights Templars of Mass. & R.I.

"May our beloved order of Christian chivalry express in the lives of all true soldiers of the Temple, the principles and teachings of him, whose advent brought the new gospel of life and happiness to men. The sentiment of this joyous season is the soul of Templary

#3
To all Valiant & Magnanimous Knights of the Temple wherever they may be. on the land or sea, whether in sickness or trouble. or in health or prosperity we extend our Knightly Christmas greetings with the fervent wishes that they may pass through safely the great perils. that threaten the Nation.

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1111 To our Country's Flag
"Long may she wave over the land of the free,
and the home of the brave,
Beautiful as a flower to those who love it
terrible as a meteor to those who hate it.
It is the symbol of the power and glory
and honor of ninety millions of
Americans

Roll of Honor of N. Port Commandery
Sir Kts Edward R. Sandford
" " James H. Johnston
" " William F. Merrill
" " Frederick B. Wiley
" " Albert M. Gennt
" " Thomas J. Maddock

no
v To the memory of those valiant Knights of Newburyport Commandery who fought lifes battle with courage and fortitude and receiving the reward of victory, have laid aside their armor and passed into the great beyond

Sir Knight	William H. Whitmore	died	Dec. 31 1916
" "	Gustavus Gammett	"	March 6 1917
" "	Warren W. Pillsbury	"	" 31 1917
" "	William R. Usher	"	July 4 1917
" "	Antonio Barboro	"	" 18 1917
" "	William H. Noyes	"	Aug. 15 1917
" "	John Wells	"	Dec. 5 1917

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vi To our Past Commanders, who have brought Newburyport Commandery where it is.

On motion of Sir. Kt. Gen. C. F. Pillsbury a toast was proposed to the present Commander, that was going to continue in the good work

On motion of Sir Kt. H. W. Bayley it was voted that the sympathy of this Com. be extended to Sir Kt Frank Richardson, and the hopes of his speedy recovery

After listening to remarks from Sir Kt W. B. Hopkinson Mayor of the city, Em. Sir I. S. Butler, W. G. Fisher and others the Commandery was closed and the Sir Knights enjoyed a social hour

Christmas greetings were received from the following:

Boston Commandery	No 2	Boston Mass
Washington "	No 4	Newport R.I.
Worcester County "	No 5	Worcester Mass
De Molay "	No 7	Boston "
Holy Sepulchre "	No 8	Pawtucket R.I.
Pilgrim "	No 9	Lowell Mass.
Palestine "	No 10	Chelsea "
Milford "	No 11	Milford "
Calvary "	No 13	Providence R.I.
Haverhill "	No 14	Haverhill, Mass.
Old Colony "	No 15	Abington "
Sutton "	No 16	New Bedford "
Bethany "	No 17	Lawrence "
Jerusalem "	No 19	Fitchburg "
Hugh de Payens "	No 20	Melrose "
Saint Omer "	No 21	Dorchester "
Conn. Valley "	No 23	Greenfield "
Woonsocket "	No 24	Woonsocket, R.I.
Godfrey de Bouillon "	No 25	Fall River Mass.
Joseph Warren "	No 26	Roxbury "
Narragansett "	No 27	Westerly R.I.
William Parkman "	No 28	E. Boston Mass
Bristol "	No 29	Attleboro "
Northampton "	No 30	Northampton "
South Shore "	No 31	E. Weymouth "
Coeur de Leon "	No 34	Charlestown "
Athol "	No 37	Athol "
Bay State "	No 38	Brockton "
Cyprus "	No 39	Hyde Park
Saint Paul "	No 40	North Adams "

	Springfield	Commandery	No 6	Springfield Mass
	Beauseant	"	No 41	Malden "
	Cambridge	"	No 42	Cambridge "
	Saint George	"	No 44	Beverly "
	Ivanhoe	"	No 46	Gardner "
36	Quincy	"	No 47	Quincy "
	Bradford	"	No 4	Biddeford Me.
	Trinity	"		Manchester N.H.
	Mt. Horeb	"		Concord "
	Pilgrim	"		Laconia "
	De Witt Clinton	"		Portsmouth "

Lee S. Smith Grand Master Grand Enc. –
William H Emerson Grand Commander
Benjamin W. Rowell Grand Recorder
Charles R. Hunt Grand Standard Bearer
Frederick I. Dana Inspector Instructor
Percy W. Witherell Division Commander
James A Gunn Jr. " "

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Attendance	Sir Knights	81
	Visitors	7
	total	88

Attest
Charles A Stockman
Recorder

In Memoriam

John Wills

born in Boston Mass
November 17 1852

Saint John Lodge A.F.&A.M.

Entered Apprentice	October 2 1884
Fellow-craft	November 6 1884
Master Mason	December 4 1884

King Cyrus Chapter R.A.M.

Mark Master Mason	March 13 1885
Past Master	March 13 1885
Most Excellent Master	November 13 1891
Royal Arch Mason	March 9 1892

Amesbury Council Royal & Select Masters

Royal Master	November 26 1895
Select Master	December 11 1895
Super Excellent Master	January 28 1896

Newburyport Commandery No 3 K.T.

Red Cross	December 20 1894
Temple	March 21 1895
Malta	July 22 1895

Died in Portland Oregon
December 1917

Newburyport Jan. 17 1918

A Stated Conclave of Newburyport Commandery of Knights Templars was convened in Masonic Hall State St. on Thursday evening Jan. 17 at 7-30 o'clock

Present.

Em. Sir		Albert K. Cheney	Com.
	"	Charles F. Pillsbury	G.
	"	Alfred W. Kimball	C.G.
	"	Oscar H. Nelson	S.W
	"	Daniel A Lunt	J.W
"	"	Joseph N. Dummer	P.
	"	Charles A Stockman	R.
	"	Frank V. Brown	St. B.
	"	Lawrence B. Cheney	Sw. B
	"	Charles W Perry Jr.	W.
	"	John Pow	3rd Guard
	"	Charles P. A. Hall	2nd "
	"	Alfred D. Merrill	1st "
	"	William E Bassett	Asst "
	"	Edward R. Ayers Jr.	" "
	"	Sanfred Anderson	"
	"	Arthur P. Marden	M.D.
	"	Frank H Rundlett	Sentinel

Em. Sirs W.R. Johnson, G.E. Collins. H.W. Little I.S. Butler, and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery No 3

John M. Bailey   N. Johnson   F.O. Morse
A.H. Reynolds   A. F. Swain   C.E. Worthen

Visitor
Sir Knight T.F. Adams Jos. Warren Com. No 26 of Roxbury

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars

Records read and approved

Communication from Mrs E. M. Wait. thanking the Commandery for the flowers sent to Sir Kt. Waitt and also advising the Commandery of his decease on Jan. 15 1918 received and filed

It was voted that a page of the Records be set aside and dedicated to the memory of our late Sir Knight Edward M. Waitt.

The following applications for the Orders of Knighthood were received

Application of Companion Prescott William Eaton

Companion Prescott William Eaton Newburyport. Embargo Clerk
Born in Seabrook, N.H. January 2nd 1891
Raised in C.C. Dame Lodge Georgetown Mass
Exalted in King Cyrus Chapter Newburyport Mass
Member of C.C. Dame Lodge & King Cyrus Chapter
Recommeded Em. Sir A.K. Cheney, Sirs A.D. Merrill C.W. Perry Jr. and C A Stockman. Petition received and placed on file and referred to Em. Sir Benjamin Pearson. and Sirs C.P. Pillsbury. E.R. Ayers Jr. for investigation

Application of Companion Gerald Sanford Bradford

Companion Gerald Sanford Bradford Newburyport Auto Repair
Born in Newburyport Mass December 6 1891
Raised in Saint John Lodge Newburyport
Exalted in King Cyrus Chapter
Member of Saint Johns Lodge & King Cyrus " Chapter
Recommended by Em. Sir A.K. Cheney. Sirs A.D. Merrill C.A. Jones and C.W. Perry Jr.
Petition received. and placed on file. and referred to Em. Sir H.W. Little. Sirs A.W. Kimball & O.H. Nelson for investigation

A diploma was presented to the Commandery by Sir Knight Benjamin B. Gilman of Haverhill

The diploma was one presented to Sir Knight John Akerman

It was voted that the diploma be accepted and suitably framed and hung in the anteroom that the Recorder be instructed to convey to Sir Knight Gilman the thanks of the Commandery

Companion Geo. E. Morey order of Malta

Business in the Commandery was suspended and a priory of the Order of Malta opened and the order was then conferred upon Companion George Edward Morey. The business having been completed the priory was closed and Business in the Commandery resumed

Commandery closed

Attendance

Sir Knights of Newburyport Com.	27
" " Visitors	1
total	28

Attest
Charles. A Stockman
Recorder

In Memoriam

Edward M. Waitt

born in
Haverhill Mass
February 22 1856

Saint John Lodge A.F. and A.M.

Entered Apprentice	March 18 1890
Fellowcraft	April 18 1890
Master Mason	May 29 1890

King Cyrus Chapter R.A. Masons

Mark Master	July 10 1890
Past Master	Aug. 14 1890
Most Excellent Master	Sept. 30 1890
Royal Arch Mason	Oct. 7 1890

Newburyport Commandery No 3 K.Ts.

Red Cross	Nov. 20 1890
Temple	Jan. 15 1891
Malta	Mch. 19 1891

died in
Boston Mass
January 15 1918

Newburyport. Feb. 21 1918

A Stated Conclave of Newburyport Commandery Knights Templars was convened at the Asylum in Masonic Hall State Street on Thursday evening February 21 1918 at 7-30 o'clock

Present

Em Sir	Albert K. Cheney	Com.
"	Charles P. Pillsbury	Gen.
"	Alfred W. Kimball	C.G.
"	Oscar H. Nelson	S.W
"	Daniel A. Lunt	J.W.
Em. "	Joseph N. Dummer	P.
"	Charles A. Stockman	Rec.
"	Frank V. Brown	St.B
"	Charles W. Perry Jr	W
"	John Pow	3rd " Guard
"	Charles F. A. Hall	2nd "
"	Alfred D. Merrill	1st "
"	William E. Bassett	Asst. "
"	Edward R. Ayers Jr	" "
"	Sanford Anderson	" "
"	Arthur P. Marden	M. D.
"	Frank H. Rundlett	S.-

Em Sir Irving S. Butler
and the following Sir Knights
of Newburyport Commandery No 3

A. M. Alley J. M. Bailey N. Johnson and
Harold S. Hoyt

Visitor
Sir Kt. T. F. Adams Jos. Warren Com #26 Roxbury Mass

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars
Records of last stated Conclave read and approved

Com. from Grand Commander was read, and referred to the committee on War Fund

Com. from Mrs E. M. Waitt thanking the Commandery for the floral piece sent, received and filed.

C. H Wesham granted Demit

Com. from Sir Knight Clarence H. Wisham. requesting a demit, on account of change in residence. The same was granted he being square on the books.

Petition of Comp. Everett Fred MacBurnie

The following petition was presented for the Order of Knighthood from
Companion Everett Fred MacBurnie
Born in Newburyport Mass. Nov. 15 1894
Raised in Saint Johns Lodge
Exalted in King Cyrus Chapter
Member of Saint Johns Lodge and
King Cyrus Chapter

Recommended by Em. Sir A. K. Cheney. and Sirs C. F. A. Hall. A. D. Merrill. W. E. Bassett

Petition received and placed on file. and Sir Knights C. W. Perry Jr. E. R. Ayers Jr. O. H. Nelson were appointed as an investigating committee

It was voted that a page of the Records be set aside, and dedicated to the memory of our late Sir Knight George B. Blodgette

Comp. G. S. Bradford elected

The committee on the application of Companion Gerald S. Bradford reported. a ballot was ordered and he was declared elected to receive the Order. as conferred by Newburyport Commandery

Comp. P.W. Eaton elected

The committee on the petition of Companion Prescott. W. Eaton. reported, a ballot was ordered and he was declared elected to receive the Orders as conferred by Newburyport Commandery

Red Cross G.S. Bradford P.W. Eaton

Business in the Commandery was suspended and a Council of the Ill. Order of the Red Cross opened and the order was conferred upon Companion
Gerald Sanford Bradford and
Prescott William Eaton

Malta G.S Bradford P.W. Eaton

Closed the Order of Red Cross. and business resumed in the Commandery. business suspended in the Commandery. and a Priory of Knights of Malta opened. and the Order was conferred upon Companions
Gerald Sanford Bradford and
Prescott William Eaton

Closed a Priory of Knights of Malta. and business resumed in the Commandery

There being nothing further to be brought before the Commandery

Commandery closed

Sir Kts. present 22
" " " visitors 1
Total 23

Attest Charles A. Stockman
Recorder

In Memoriam

George B. Blodgette

born in
Georgetown Mass December 6 1845

John T. Heard Lodge A.F.&A.M.

Entered Apprentice	March 11 1874
Fellow-craft	April 15 1874
Master Mason	May 13 1874

King Cyrus Chapter R.A.M.

Mark Master	July 2 1874
Past Master	July 2 1874
Most Ex. Master	July 15 1874
Royal Arch Mason	July 30 1874

Newburyport Commandery No 3 K.T.

Red Cross	October 2 1874
Temple	December 1 1874
Malta	December 1 1874

died in
Rowley Mass. January 17 1918

Newburyport March 21 1918

A Stated Conclave of Newburyport Commandery #3 Knights Templars. was convened at the Asylum State Street on Thursday evening March 21 at 7-30 oclock

Present

Em. Sir	Albert K. Cheney	Com.
"	Charles F. Pillsbury	G.
"	Alfred W. Kimball	C.G.
"	Oscar H. Nelson	S.W.
"	Daniel A Lunt	J.W
Em.	Joseph N. Dummer	P.
"	Charles. A Stockman	R.
"	Frank V. Brown	St. B.
"	Lawrence B. Cheney	Sw. B.
"	Charles W. Perry Jr.	W.
"	John Pow	3rd Guard
"	Chas. F. A. Hall	2nd "
"	Alfred D. Merrill	1st "
"	William E. Bassett	asst "
"	Edward R. Ayers Jr.	"
"	Sanford Anderson	"
"	Arthur P. Marden	M.D.
"	Frank H Rundlett	S. —

Em Sirs W. R. Johnson. Green Davis. H. W Little S. L Porter. I. S. Butler

and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery No 3

Wilbur Abbott
C. E Houghton
W. McKay -
F. M. Swett
C. F. Worthen

H. W. Bayley.
G. A. Johnson
E. M. Osgood
J. W. Talbot
J. W. Webster

C. F. Damon
N. Johnson
A H Reynolds
A. A. H Whelpley

Visitors

E. Sir Charles R. Hunt Grand Standard Bearer and Division Commander of the Fourth Division
E. Sir J. R. Bailey P. Com. of Jackson Com No 3 Jackson. Mich
Sir T. P. Adams Jos. Warren Com. " 26 Roxbury Mass
Sir A. F. Thomas Oriental " " 9 Daytona Fla.
Sir Emil Niemi Springfield Com " 6 Springfield Mass

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars

Records read and approved

Com. from W. P. M Jacobs relative to an outing for Saint Johns Day received and filed

The following applications were presented for the Orders

Companion Samuel. Hewitt McKinney Newburyport
Born in Newburyport Mass February 6th 1884
Occupation Vulcanizer and Auto Supply Dealer Newburyport
Member of Indian Orchard Lodge and King Cyrus Chapter
Recommended and vouched for by Em. Sir A. K Cheney Sirs R. J. McKinney John M. Bailey & A. D Merrill and referred to a committee consisting of Em Sir H. W. Little and Sirs A. W. Kimball C. F. Pillsbury

Companion Edward Gardner Macintosh Newburyport
Born in Newburyport March 25 1891
Occupation Textile Newburyport - Mass
Member of St. Johns Lodge and King Cyrus Chapter
Recommended by Em Sirs A K. Cheney I. S. Butler and Sirs C. F. A. Hall C A Stockman and referred to a committee consisting of Em. Sir W. G. Fisher and Sirs C. W. Perry Jr. F. V. Brown

Companion Chauncey Wagner Henry Newburyport
Born in Johnstown N. York June 19th 1877
Occupation Manufacturer Billiard tables & Supplies, Boston
Member St. Johns Lodge and King Cyrus Chapter
Recommended and vouched for by Em Sir A K Cheney
and Sirs C. F. A Hall. C. A Stockman A. D. Merrill
and referred to a committee consisting of Em. Sir
W. R. Johnson and Sirs E. M. Osgood G. A. Fogg.

Companion Frank Kneeland Bradford Newburyport Mass
Born in Newburyport December 15th 1895
Occupation Mechanic Market Square Newburyport
Member of Saint Marks Lodge and King Cyrus Chapter
Recommended and vouched for by Em. A. K. Cheney
and Sirs Chas. A Jones. Chas A Stockman Chas F. A Hall
and referred to a committee consisting of Em. Sir
Benjamin Pearson. and Sirs A. D. Merrill L. B. Cheney

Companion John Wright Amesbury Mass
Born in Cullen Scotland February 25 1872
Occupation Painter Amesbury Mass.
Member of Roseville Lodge No 143 New Jersey
and Trinity Chapter
Recommended and vouched for by Sirs
Sanfred Anderson. John Porr. Edward M. Osgood
and Arthur A. H. Whelpley. referred to a committee
consisting of Em Sirs G. E. Collins S. L. Porter and Sir
F. M Sweet

The committee to whom the petition Comp.
Everett Fred MacBurnie had been referred
reported, a ballot was ordered and he was
elected to receive the Orders as conferred
by Newburyport Commandery

The Order of the Temple was conferred upon
Companions George Edward Morey

Prescott William Eaton

Gerald Sanford Bradford

Em. Com. Albert K. Cheney then introduced
Em Sir Charles R. Hunt Grand Standard
Bearer of the Grand Commandery of Massa-
chusetts and Rhode Island and Division
Commander of the Fourth Division.
Em Sir Hunt outlined the markings of the
coming Inspection. hoped the Sir Knights would
each and every one do their best to make the
coming Inspection a grand success

Commandery Closed

Attendance
Sir Knights DRC 39
Visiting Sir Knights 5
total 44

Attest Charles A Stockman
Recorder

Newburyport April 18 1918

A Stated Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No 3 Knights Templars was convened in the Asylum on State Street on Thursday evening April 18th at 7-20 o'clock

Present

Em. Sir	Albert K. Cheney	Com
"	Charles F. Pillsbury	Gen.
"	Alfred W Kimball	C.G.
"	Oscar H. Nelson	S.W
"	Daniel A Lunt	J.W.
Em. "	Joseph N. Dummer	P.
"	Charles A. Stockman	Rec.
"	Frank V. Brown	St.B
"	Lawrence B. Cheney	Sw.B.
"	Chas. W Perry Jr.	W.
"	John Pow	3rd G.
"	Chas. F. W. Hall	2nd G P.T.
"	Edward W. Eaton	1st G.
"	William E. Bassett	act G.
"	Edward R. Ayers Jr.	. G
"	Sanfred Anderson	. G
"	Arthur P. Marden	M.D.
	Frank H. Rundlett	S

Em. Sirs W. R Johnson. G. Davis. W.G. Fisher. H W Little
L.S. Butler

and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery

Geo. H. Dorr. Carl C Emery Prescott W. Eaton
Wm. Ford Nicholas Johnson George E Morey
Edward M. Osgood John W Talbot - Arthur A. H. Whelpley
Walter J Webster

Visitors
Sir Kt. Warner R. Butler Jos Warren #26 Roxbury Mass

Sir Kt. F.L. Harding Bristol No 29 Attleboro Mass
" " A.J. Barton Jr. Saint George #44 Beverly Mass
Em Sir J.R. Bailey Jackson #3 Jackson. Mich

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars in full form

Records of last Stated Conclave read and approved

Com. from Grand Recorder in regard to the conferring of the Orders by Damascus Com. of Florida on Companion MacBurnie received and filed

Com. from Grand Commander William H. Emerson referring to General Orders No 7 of the Grand Encampment received, and it was voted that the same be left with the Council to take the necessary action with full powers.

Com. from Liberty Loan Committee on third loan urging the Commandery to subscribe was received and as the Commandery had subscribed to the full extent, it was voted that the members be urged to buy, to their fullest extent of the third loan

Companion John Wright elected

The committee to whom the application of Comp. John Wright, had been referred reported a ballot was ordered and he was declared elected to receive the orders

Comp. F. K. Bradford elected

The committee to whom the application of Comp. Frank K Bradford had been referred reported a ballot was ordered and he was declared elected to receive the Orders

Com. C. W Henry elected

The committee to whom the application of Comp. Chauncey W. Henry had been referred reported a ballot was ordered, and he was declared elected to receive the orders

Comp S. H. Mackinney elected

The committee to whom the application of Comp. Samuel H. Mackinney had been referred reported a ballot was ordered. and he was declared elected to receive the Orders, as conferred by Newburyport Commandery

Comp E. G. Macintosh Rejected

The committee to whom the application of Comp. Edward G. Macintosh had been referred. reported a ballot was ordered. and he was declared rejected

Sir Knight Wm Gillis died Apr. 14 1918

It was voted that a page of the records be set aside and dedicated to our late Sir Knight.
William Gillis

Business in the Commandery suspended and a Council of the Ill. Order of the Red Cross opened, and the order was conferred upon
Companions
Frank Kneeland Bradford
Samuel Hewitt Mackinney
Chauncy Wagner Henry
John Wright

Ill. Order of Red Cross
F.K. Bradford
S.H Mackinney
C.W. Henry
J. Wright

Closed the Council of the Red Cross. and opened a Priory of Knights of Malta and upon Companions Frank K Bradford. Samuel H Mackinney. Chauncy W. Henry. and John Wright the order was conferred

Knights of Malta
F.K. Bradford
S H Mackinney
C.W. Henry.
J. Wright

Closed a Priory of the Knights of Malta. and business resumed in the Commandery
There being no further business to bring before the Commandery.

Commandery was closed

Attendance
Sir Kts of Newburyport Com. 33
" " visitors 4
total 37

Attest
Chas. A Stockman
Recorder.

In Memoriam

William Gillis
born in
Hay River P.E.I.
November 25 1851

Warren Lodge A.F. and AM
Entered Apprentice March 10 1897
Fellow-craft April 14 1897
Master Mason May 19 1897

King Cyrus Chapter R.A.M.
Mark Master January 12 1899
Past Master March 9 1899
Most Excellent Master March 9 1899
Royal Arch Mason April 13 1899

Newburyport Commandery No 3
Knights Templars

Red Cross March 15 1900
Temple May 17 1900
Malta May 17 1900

died in
Newburyport Mass.
April 14 1918

Aged. 66 yrs. 4 mos 20 days.

Newburyport May 15 1918

A Special Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No 3 Knights Templar. was held in Masonic Hall State Street on Wednesday evening May 15 1918 at 7-30 o'clock

Present

Em. Sir	Albert K. Cheney	Com
"	Charles P. Pillsbury	G.
"	Alfred W. Kimball	C.G.
"	Oscar H. Nelson	Sen. W
"	Daniel A Lunt	Jun. W
Em. "	Joseph N. Dummer	P.
"	Charles. A Stockman	Rec.
"	Frank V. Brown	St. B.
"	Laurence B. Cheney	W. P. Tan
"	John Pow	3rd G
"	Charles. P. A. Hall	2nd G
"	Alfred D. Merrill	1st G
"	William E. Bassett	ant. G
"	Edward R. Ayer Jr.	"
"	Sanfred Anderson	"
"	Arthur P. Marden	M D
"	Frank H Rundlett	S

Temple
Degree
F. K. Bradford
C.W. Henry
J. Wright

Em. Sirs W. R. Johnson. Green Davis. J. S Butler

and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery No 3

Geo. H. Dow. Chas. E Houghton William McKay Albert H. Reynolds. and Chas. E Worthen P

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templar

The Commander stated this being a Special Conclave. called for the purpose of conferring the Order of the Temple. no other business could be acted upon. and at once proceeded to confer the Order upon

Companions

Frank Kneeland Bradford
Chauncey Wagner Henry
and
John Wright

Commandery closed at 9.45 by Commander Cheney

Attendance
Sir Knights of Newburyport Com. 25

Attest
Charles. A Stockman
Recorder

Newburyport May 16 1918

A regular Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No 3 Knights Templars was convened at the Asylum in Masonic Hall State Street this Thursday afternoon at 4-30 oclock

Present

Em Sir	Albert K. Cheney	Com.
"	Charles F. Pillsbury	G.
"	Alfred W. Kimball	C.G.
"	Oscar H. Nelson	S.W
"	Daniel A Lunt	J.W
" "	Joseph N. Dummer	P.
" "	Charles A Stockman	R.
"	Frank V. Brown	St. B
"	Laurence B. Cheney	W. P. Tem
"		S.w.B.
"	John Poor	3rd G.
"	Chas. F. A. Hall	2nd G.
"	Alfred D. Merrill	1st G.
"	William E Bassett	Asst G
"	Edward R. Ayers Jr.	" "
"	Sanfred Anderson	" "
"	Arthur P. Marden	M.D
"	Frank H. Rundlett	S
"	George H. Dorr	Adj.

Em. Sirs William R. Johnson, Green Davis Moses Brown, Orrin J. Gurney, Charles F Worther John. E McCusker. William G. Fisher. Geo. E Collins Benjamin H Young, Benjamin Pearson Henry W. Little Joseph. N. Dummer. Samuel L. Porter. Irving S. Butler

and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery No 3

A. M. Alley
A. J. Anderson
H. C. Austin
A. T. Atkinson
W. D. Adams
W Abbott
H T Ames
W.E. Aubin
W. N Brown
H W Bayley
J Black
H. C Bates
G. L Bean

H. A Besse
L Berry
J M Bailey
W. H Bayley
J E Baumgartner
P H. Bollman
F. K. Bradford
L. Brookings
J. W Clark
F W Chandler
W. F. Cook
C W Cooke
C. E. Davis

W. G. Dodge
S J. Dauphinee
E. F. Dempsey
C F. Damon
J. T. Elliott
J. Elliott
R S. Elliott
Carl C Emery
P. W. Eaton
E W. Eaton
D H Elkins
W. Ford

S. D. Flanders
G. A. Fogg
I. A. French
J W Gurney
P S Galusian
J R Graves
R S Getchell
J D Holland
F M. Hoyt.
C. E. Houghton
C W Henry
N. Johnston

G. A. Johnson
A. S. Jewell
W. B Jones
M Kimball
J E Lunt
W. F Lunt
W. P. Lowell
E N Lambert
H E. Lombard
F L Lattime
F O Morse
W. E Morrill

C. D. Montgomery
R J. McKinney
G. E Morey
C. D. Merritt
T J Maddock
R. W. Nelson
H J. Noyes
H S. Noyes
E P. Noyes
E M Osgood
G E Philbrook
C W Perry Jr.

A M. Parry
F E Page
C L Perkins
I Poor
N. Russell
J. A Rowell
A H Reynolds
W B Rogers
W. J Riley
A P. Swain
F M. Swett
C R Scott

C S Spaulding
J W Talbot
H. B Trask
A S Twombly
A. A. H. Whelpley
T F. Walton
A P. Wilson
W J. Webster
C E. Worthen
J. Wright
G W. Worcester

Visitors
Sir A. F Schlauber Olivet Com #36 Lynn Mass
Sir D B H Power " " #36 " "

Visitors
Em. Sir John R Bailey Jackson Com. #9 Jackson Mich.
Past Commander of Jackson Commandery

Sir S. R. Sands Washington Com. No 4 Newport R.I.
" Emil Niemi Springfield " " 6 Springfield Mass
" S. M. Douglass Palestine " " 10 Chelsea "
" G. M. Anthony " " " 10 " "
" B. B. Gilman Haverhill " " 14 Haverhill "
" H. Law " " " " " "
" S. G. Stainton " " " " " "
" J. F. Howard " " " " " "
" M. Scott " " " " " "
" J. D. McGregor " " " " " "
" E. E. Pearl " " " " " "
" H. Williams Sutton Com. #16 New Bedford
" C. H. Littlefield Bethany " #17 Lawrence
" C W Brian " " " "
" W. S. Paisley " " " "
" W. J. Churchill " " " "
" A. M. K. Russell " " " "
" G. A. Staehellan
" A. C. Glover Winslow Lewis Com. #18 Salem
" C. W. Barnard Jr. Hugh de Payens " #20 Melrose
" T. F. Adams Jos Warren " #26 Roxbury
" A. M. Badger Coeur de Lion " #34 Charlestown
" E. I. Wellcutt Gethsemane " #35 Newtonville
" A. S. Morey Cambridge " #42 Cambridge
" B. G. Jones " " " "
" F. A Keniston " " " "
" J. A. Radcliffe Bethlehem " #43 Gloucester
" J. F. Burnham " " " "
" B. H. G. Colby " " " "
" Rev. W. S. Eaton " " " "
" J. May " " " "
" W. G. Turke " " " "
" E Merchant " " " "
" W. A Reed " " " "
" A. B. Hale Haverhill " 14 Haverhill

Sir W. S. Pike Bethlehem Com. #43 Gloucester Mass
" F. H. Davis " " " "
" R. Calpin " " " "
" R. C. Wells " " " "

Sirs M. E. Johnson. A. E. Johnson. R. S. Kimball
" J. R. Morris W. O. Howard. A. J. Barton Jr.
" C. P. Chase W. M. Wallis B. L. Lee
Saint George Com. No 44 Beverly Mass.

Sirs E. R. Stockbridge. F. W. Tilton. G. W. Lamprey
" G. D. Baxley A. S. Willey J. M. Rowe
" J. Warren Brown J. H. Brown P. W. Parker
" J. Bell R. E. Eaton M. Connoly
De Witt Clinton Com. Portsmouth N. H.

Sirs E. Thompson. S. J. Mitchell. G. S. Pickles
" F. E. Nutter G. H. Bullard J. W. Thompson
" J. M. McKenney A. C. Holman. J. V. Tucker
Saint Armand Com. No 20 Kennebunk Me

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars

Records of last Stated Conclave and Special Conclave of May 15 read and approved

Communications from Saint Johns Lodge. asking the Commandery to pay a proportionate part of the rental of the telephone in Masonic Hall. and it was voted that the Commandery would bear their proportionate part of the cost

Com. from W. P. Webster Grand Recorder of the Grand Commandery of the State of Florida expressing regrets of not being able to confer the Order upon Comp. E. P. MacBurnie, on acc't of the Companion being being transferred

Inspecting Officer

The Order of the Temple was conferred upon Companion Samuel Hewitt McKinney to the last section. When a recess was declared at six o'clock. for the purpose of repairing to Griffin Hall. where an excellent banquet was served by Sir A. F. Schlenber of Lynn After partaking of the same. the Sir Knights assembled in the Asylum. and at 7-45 business in the Commandery was resumed Em. Com Cheney requested the Generalissimo to retire. and ascertain if Em. Sir Charles R. Hunt Grand Standard Bearer of the Grand Commandery of Mass. and R. I. was in the adjoining room. Gen. Pillsbury at once returned escorting Em Sir Elton S. Wilde Deputy Grand Warden of the Fourth Division who informed Em. Sir Cheney that Em. Sir Charles R. Hunt was in waiting to make an official inspection of Newburyport Commandery. Commander Cheney informed Em. Sir Wilde. that he recognised his authority. and would wait upon him forthwith by a committee,
The Dep. Grand Warden retired. the committee was formed with E. Sir W. R. Johnson as Chairman, and consisted of all the past Commanders present. under the escort of Sir Knight Generalissimo. the committee retired to the ante-room. and immediately returned escorting Em. Sir Charles R. Hunt and suite. after the usual introduction and remarks of welcome from the Commander

Em. Sir Charles R. Hunt

introduced the following Sir Knights who had honored him in being present as members of his Suite

Suite

Grand Com. R. E. Sir George Elmer Danforth. Grand Com.
of of the State of New Hampshire. and Past Com. of
N. H. – Saint George Commandery of Nashua N. H.

Grand E. Sir F. W. Gibbs Ass G. Prelate of the Grand Com. of Mass & R. I.
Com. and a member of St. Johns Com. No 1 Providence R. I.
E. Sir James S. Blake G. J. W. of the Grand Com. of M. & R. I.
and Past Com. of Boston Com. No 2 Boston Mass
E. Sir Percy W. Wetherill Div. Com of Grand Com.
and Past Com. of Hugh de Payens Com. No 20

Com. Em. Sir Geo. T. Everett De Molay #7 Boston Mass
" " D. M. Small St Amand #20 Kennebunk ME
× " " H. F. Hawthorne Cambridge #42 Cambridge Mass
" " A. S. Lyle Bethlehem #43 Gloucester "
" " F. R. Starkey St George #44 Beverly "

Gen. Sir Wm R. Milton Gen. De Molay #7 Boston "
" F. W. Faunce " Palistine #10 Chelsea "
" G. E. Durgin " Haverhill #14 Haverhill "
" W. A. Whitney " Bethany #17 Lawrence "
" Rev. W. H. Rider Bethlehem #43 Gloucester "
" E. S. Rideout Gen St George #44 Beverly "
" J. Howard Gile " " #44 " "

C. G. " S. A. McGregor C. G. Haverhill #14 Haverhill "
" T. Bradbury C. G. Bethany #17 Lawrence "
" W. G. Brown Jr. C. G. Bethlehem #43 Gloucester "
" H. W. Pleyser C. G. De-Witt Clinton Portsmouth N H

P. Com. Em. Sir W. H. Patten P. C. St. George Nashua N H
" " J. Watson P. C. St Amand #20 Kennebunk Me
" " W. P. Flint P. C " " " " "
" " G. B. Lord P. C De-Witt Clinton Portsmouth N. H.
" " W. N. Rugg P. C. " " " " "
" " M. W. Anthony P. C. " " " "
" " N. S. Drown P. C Bradford No 4 Biddeford Me
" " C. H. Faunce P. C Palestine " 10 Chelsea Mass
" " A. Cogswell P. C. Bethlehem " 43 Gloucester "
" " W. E. Parsons P. C. " " 43 "
" " E. A. Bradley P. C " " 43 "

Com. × " " Guy L Hunt Com. Saint Omer " 21 Dorchester "

P. Com. Em. Sir G. V. Fisher P. C. Bethlehem No 43 Gloucester
" " E. S. Taft P. C " " "
" " W. Stopford P. C. St. George " 44 Beverly
" " G. S. Srinak P. C. " " " "

and

Grand Em. Sir Elton S. Wilde Deputy Grand Warder of
Warder the Fourth Division and P. C of Sutton Comman-
-dery of New Bedford
(37) Suite

Inspector Right Em. Sir Frederick I. Dana Inspector
Instructor Instructor of the Grand Commandery of
Massachusetts and Rhode ~~Island~~, inspected
the the work. being present at the hour of
opening

The Em. Commander then escorted Em Sir
Hunt to the head of the lines. and after the
examination of the Charter. Records. By-Laws
together with Rituals numbered as follow
Rituals Red Cross. Temple & Malta #5253
" " " #2843 #2844 #4152
Prelates #42 5
the official count was made. and the
result follows.

Official Count
Members of Newburyport Com. in Uniform 140
" " " not in " 000
Visiting Sir Knights exclusive of Suite 53
Inspecting Officer and Suite 37
total 230

Temple Comp. S. H McKinney + The work of evening followed the inspection
of the Commandery, and Companion Samuel
Hewitt McKinney received the Order of the
Temple

Em Sir Hunt followed the Conferring of the Order by remarks which were very complimentary to the Commandery and suggested that the Commandery would be more interested in hearing from R. E. Sir Dana Inspector Instructor. and would be pleased to give way to him. as the hour of departure was near at hand

R. E Sir Dana in his remarks gave an outline of the advantages and purpose of the Office of Inspector Instructor. and also complimented the Commandery on its work and appearance. and in conclusion gave the following as the rating of the Commandery

Official Rating 81%

20%	for the official Count of 140	20%
17%	" " Military Appearance	20%
8%	" " " Movements	10%
7%	" " Floor Work	10%
29%	" " Ritual	40%
81%	out of a possible	100%

The Commandery at this date numbers 240. and it was necessary for 120 to be present in Uniform and by the Official Count 140 were present

Attendance The Commander took occasion at this time
Members 140 to present to Inspecting Officers. a badge of
Visitors 53 the Commandery suitably inscribed with
Suite 37 the date of inspection. The Inspecting Officer
Total 230 and Suite retired escorted by the Committee
and the Commandery was closed

Albert Char. A Stockman Recorder

Newburyport June 20 1918

A regular Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No 3 Knights Templar was convened at the Asylum on State Street this Thursday evening June 20 1918 at 7-30 oclock

Present	Em Sir	Albert K. Cheney	Com.
	.	Charles F. Pittenny	Gen
	.	Oscar H Nelson	S. W
	.	Daniel A Lunt	J. W.
"	"	Joseph N. Dummer	Prelate
	"	Charles A Stockman	Recorder
	"	Frank V. Brown	St. Bearer
	"	Lawrence B. Cheney	Swd. Bearer
	"	John Porr	3rd Guard
	"	Alfred D. Merrill	1st "
	"	William E Bassett	ast.
	"	Arthur P. Marden	M. D
	"	Frank H Rundlett	Sentinel

Em. Sirs Green Davis Irving S. Butler and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery

Geo. H. Dow
Chaney W. Henry
Harold S. Noyes.
Chas. E Worthen

William F Cook
Chas. E Houghton
Albert P. Swain

Prescott W Eaton
Nickolas Johnson
John W Talbot

Visitor
Sir Knight T. F. Adams Jos. Warren Commandery No 26 Roxbury Mass

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars

Records of last Stated and Special Conclaves read and approved

Demit to G.T. Howard The request of Sir George T. Howard for a Demit was granted. he being square on the books

It was voted that a page of the Records be set aside and dedicated to the memory of our late Sir Knight Morton. B. Merrill of Amesbury

It was voted that the regular Conclaves of July and August be omitted. and that the next regular Conclave be held on the third Thursday in September

It was voted that the sympathy of the Commandery be extended to our Captain General on account of illness

Attendance	Members of N.Port Com.	25
	Visiting member	1
	Total	26

Closed on the Temple Degree

Attest
Charles A Stockman
Recorder

In Memoriam

Morton Benton Merrill
born in Amesbury Mass
August 12th 1840

Warren Lodge A.F. and A.M.

Entered Apprentice	July 1 1863
Fellow-craft	July 1 1863
Master Mason	July 12 1863

Northampton Chapter R.A.M.

Mark Master	January 6 1864
Past Master	January 6 1864
Most Ex. Master	January 20 1864
Royal Arch Mason	March 17 1864

Haverhill Council R & S. Masters

Royal	May 4 1871
Select	May 19 1871
Super Excellent	May 19 1871

Haverhill Commandery No 14 K.Ts

Red Cross	May 23 1871
Temple	May 30 1871
Malta	June 13 1871

Elected to Newburyport Com. #3 Feb. 15 1906

Died in Amesbury Mass. June 19 1918

Newburyport. August 30 1918

A Special Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No 3 K. Ts was convened at the Asylum this Friday noon at 12 o'clock. for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late Frater Sir William M. Hale of Rowley —

Present	Em Sir	Albert K. Cheney	Com.
	" "	Joseph N Dummer	Prelate
	" "	Charles A Stockman	Recorder
	"	Frank V Brown	St. Bearer
	"	Chas. F. A Hall	2nd Guard
	"	Frank H Rundlett	Sentinel

Em Sirs W.R. Johnson. G. Davis W.G. Fisher G.E. Collins H.W. Little
and Sir Knight John M. Bailey

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars

At 1-30 o'clock the Sir Knights left the Asylum for the home of our late Sir Knight. being conveyed in Automobiles. furnished by the members present. after services were held by the Rev

the Commandery took charge of the body. and escorted it to its last resting place. where the committall service was held. and the body of our late Sir Knight laid away "Until the day break and the shadows flee away"
Em Sirs W.R Johnson. Green Davis. W.G Fisher. G.E. Collins H.W. Little and A.K. Cheney acted as Pall Bearers

Commandery returned to the Asylum. and was dismissed
Attendance 12

attendance 12
attest Chas A Stockman Recorder

Newburyport September 19 1918

The Annual Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No 3 K. Ts. was convened at the Asylum on State St at 7-30 P.M September 19 1918

Present	Em Sir	A.K. Cheney	Com.
	"	C. P. Pillsbury	Gen.
	"	A. W. Kimball	C.G.
	"	D. A Lunt	Jun. W.
	Em "	J.N. Dummer	P.
	"	E. E. Hickey	T.
	"	C A Stockman	R.
	"	L. B. Cheney	Sw. B.
	"	J. Pow	3rd G
	"	C. F. A. Hall	2nd G
	"	A D Merrill	1st G
	"	W. E Bassett	Asst G
	"	S. Anderson	" G
	"	A. P. Marden	M.D
	"	P. H. Rundlett	S

Em Sirs W. R. Johnson G. Davis. H. W. Little S.L. Porter I.S Butler
and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery No 3

P.W. Eaton J.W. Gurney N. Johnson Em Osgood
C.L. Perkins F.E. Page A.P. Swain A.A.H. Whelpley
W. J. Webster

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars

Records of last regular and Special Conclaves read and approved

Com. from Mrs M. B. Merrill and Mrs Wm Hale expressing thanks for the floral —

offerings sent to our late Sir Knights received and filed

It was voted a letter of sympathy be sent to Sir Knight W. O. Howard of Ipswich, expressing our sympathy for the serious condition of his brother Sir Knight John F. Howard of St George Com No 44 of Beverly who had been a welcome visitor to our Conclaves

It was voted that a page of the Records be set aside and dedicated to our late
Sir Knight William M. Hale
of Rowley

It was voted that the Council be a committee to convey Christmas greetings to the Sir Knights of this Commandery who are engaged in war "Over seas"

The Commander stated for the Auditing Committee that the books and vouchers of the Treasurer and Recorder had been audited and found correct

It was voted that the dues of Sir Knights Frank Richardson and Will A. Usher be remitted to Sept. 30 1918

It was voted that the dues of Sir Knights Royal L. Stevens and John W Talbot be remitted to Sept. 30 1919

The Secretary report was read and follows.

Sept. 19 1918

To the Em. Commander, Officers and Sir Knights of Newburyport Comd. No 3 K.Ts
I present to you the following report for the year ending September 15 1918

Membership

Membership Sept. 17 1917 239
Candidates who have been admitted 7
total 246

One candidate has been elected but was ordered Overseas before he could be Knighted

Six (6) Sir Knights have died 6
Two (2) " " " demitted 2 8
Total Membership — 238
Active Member 234
Honorary " 4
238

Receipts

For Orders $400.00
" back dues collected 225.00
" dues chgd to Sept. 30/18 " 563.00
" advance dues " 34.00
" Badges sold (7) 14.00
" cont. to War Fund 104 Sir Kts. 128.00 $1364.00

Condition of Dues

Dues unpaid Sept 17 1917 475.50
" charged to " 30 1918 869.00
" " in advance 34.00 $1378.50
Dues unpaid at death (2) 3.00
" paid during the year 822.00
" remitted " " (5) 36.50 $861.50
dues unpaid Sept. 15 1918 517.00

47 Sir Knights owe $177.00 owe less than 8 quarters
18 " " " 144.00 " 8 "
12 " " " 196.00 " more than 8 "
$517.00

Respt. Submitted
Chas. A Stockman Rec.

The Recorders report was followed by the reading of the names of the Sir Knights who owed five quarters or more dues

Treasurer Report

Newburyport. Sept. 17 1918

To the Em. Com. and members of Newburyport Commandery: The Treasurer submits the following report for the year ending Sept. 17/18

Receipts

Cash on hand at begining of the year	217.38	
Received from C O Stockman Recorder	1408.50	
withdrawn from Five Cents Sav. Bank	980.00	
	2605.88	

Expenditures

Recorders Salary	50.—	
Postage & Printing	100.42	
Rent	112.50	
Flowers	42.65	
Catering and Cigars	613.70	
Permanent Fund	65.—	
Per Capita Tax	124.75	
Liberty Bond	1000.—	
Jewels	92.50	
Charity	25.—	
Grand Com. War Fund	240—	
Miscellaneous	59.96	2526.48
Bal. in F. Nat. Bank		79.40
On Deposit in 5 Cent Bank		330 76
Total Funds in hands of T.—		410.16

Also Second Lib. Loan Bond # 81583 for $ 1000.—

Respectfully submitted
(signed) E. E. Hicken
Treasurer

It was voted that the Recorder and Treasurer report be accepted and filed

Report of the Trustees of the Perm. Fund

Cash on deposit in 5 Cent Sav. Bank	34.42
" " " Ins. for Sav. "	180.96
Liberty Bonds	1350.—
total	1565.38

It was voted that the report be accepted and placed on file

It was voted that the salary of the Recorder be the same as last year

Election of Officers

Em. Sirs W. R. Johnson. H. W. Little and I. S. Butler. were appointed a committee to receive. sort and count the ballots

Ballot for Commander

whole number cast	22
necessary for choice	12
Chas. P. Pillsbury had	14
Albert K. Cheney "	8

Sir Kt. Pillsbury was declared elected and accepted the office

Generalissimo

Whole number cast	21
Necessary for choice	11
Alfred W. Kimball had	21

and was declared elected

Captain General

whole number cast	22
necessary for choice	12
Oscar H. Nelson had	21
Daniel A Lunt "	1

Oscar H. Nelson was declared elected and accepted the office

Senior Warden

Whole number cast 20
Necessary for a choice 11
Chas W. Perry Jr. had 1
Daniel A Lunt " 19
and was declared elected

Junior Warden

Whole number cast 21
Necessary for choice 11
Harold S Moyer had 1
Chas. W. Perry Jr. " 20
and was declared elected

Prelate

Whole number cast 21
Necessary for choice 11
Nickolas Johnson had 1
James W. Clark " 2
Joseph N. Dummer " 18
and was declared elected

It was voted that the Recorder be instructed to cast one ballot for the Commandery bearing the name of Edward E Hickes for Treasurer for the ensuing year. and he was declared elected

It was voted that the Treasurer be instructed to cast one ballot for the Com. for Chas. A Stockman for Recorder. and he was declared elected

It was voted that the Recorder be instructed to cast one ballot for Em Sir H. W Little for trustee of the Permanent Fund for 3 years. and he was declared elected
It was voted that Em Sir Butler be a committee of one to procure a Past Com. Jewel for the retiring Com.
Attendance Commandery
Sir Knights 29 Closed

Attest Chas. A Stockman Recorder

In Memoriam

William M. Hale
Born December 29 1835
in Rowley Mass

John T. Heard Lodge A F & A M

Entered Apprentice October 11 1865
Fellow-craft November 8 1865
Master Mason December 6 1865

King Cyrus Chapter R. A. M

Mark Master May 21 1874
Past Master May 21 1874
Most Ex. Master July 1 1874
Royal Arch Mason July 30 1874

Newburyport Commandery No 3 K. T.

Red Cross October 21 1874
Temple December 1 1874
Malta December 1 1874

Died in
Rowley Mass
August 27 1918

Newburyport. November 21 1918

A regular Conclave was convened at the Asylum on State Street at 7-30 oclock this Thursday evening of Newburyport Com. No 3 Knights Templars

Present	Em. Sir	Albert K. Cheney	Com.
	"	Chas. F. Pillsbury	G
	"	Alfred W. Kimball	C.G.
	"	Oscar H. Nelson	Sen. W
	"	Daniel A. Lunt	Jun W
	"	Chas. A. Stockman	Rec
	"	Chas. W. Perry Jr.	W—
	"	Chas. E. W. Hall	2nd G.
	"	Alfred D. Merrill	3rd G.
	"	William E. Bassett	Ast G.
	"	Edward K. Ayer Jr.	" "
	"	Sanfred Anderson	" "
	"	Arthur P. Marden	M.D
	"	Frank H. Rundlett	S.

and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery No 3

Arthur M. Alley John M. Bailey Frank K. Bradford
Robert K. Cheney Clement E. Davis John Elliott
Prescott W Eaton Chas. D. Montgomery Samuel H. McKinney
Ralph W. Nelson Fred E. Page Albert P. Swain
John Wright.

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars

Records of last Conclave read and approved

Com. from Sir Knight Wilber Abbott. and from family of the late Sir Knight Nicholas Johnson expressing thanks for floral tributes sent to them received and filed.

It was voted to give to the Rainy Day Fund $25.00

Official Circ. No 1 — Official Circular No 1 giving the names of the officers of the Grand Commandery for the ensuing year read and ordered filed. the circular gave also a net gain for the year of 122 Sir Knights. and the total Membership September 30 1918 as 19110

Gen. Orders No 1 — Gen. Order No 1 giving the assignments for the official inspections of the several divisions.
Newburyport Com. No 3 was assigned to the 4th division and the Inspecting officer E. Sir William W. Appleton Past Com. of Haverhill Com. #14. the division is as follows Newburyport No 3. Palestine No 10 Winslow Lewis No 18 Olivet No 36 Bethlehem No 43 Saint George No 44
read and ordered filed

It was voted that a page of the Records be set aside. and dedicated to the memory of our late Sir Knight Nicholas Johnson

Installation of officers was the next in order and Em. Sir Albert K. Cheney assisted by Sir Knight Charles W. Perry Jr. as acting Grand Warden installed the elective and appointive officers. with the exception of the Treasurer Prelate. Standard Bearer. Sword Bearer & Warder who were unable to be present

A Past Commander Jewel was presented to the retiring Commander Albert K. Cheney. by Em. Sir Charles F. Pillsbury. Em Sir Cheney thanked the Commandery for the jewel. and predicted success in all ways for the future of Newburyport Commandery

Influenza It might be well at this time to note the cause of the October Conclave being omitted. A serious sickness raging through New England States had caused the Boards of Health to forbid any public gatherings to be held until the same should be checked so that it could be controlled. it caused an alarming number of deaths, and nothing like the seriousness of the disease had been known for years. and before it was under control had spread the whole country and to other parts of the World

The Officers for the ensuing year. are as follows

Em. Sir	C. F. Pillsbury	Com.
"	A. W. Kimball	G
"	E. H. Nelson	C. G.
"	D. A. Lunt	S. W
"	C. W. Perry Jr.	J. W
Em. "	J. N. Dummer.	P
"	E. E. Hicken	T
"	C. A. Stockman	Rec.
"	G. L. Bradford	St. B
"	Wm. McKay	Sw. B
"	John Pow	W.
"	C. F. A. Hall	3rd G
"	A. D. Merrill	2nd G
"	W. E. Bassett	1st G
"	E. R. Ayer Jr	Asst G
"	S. Anderson	" G
"	R. W. Eaton	" G.
"	A. P. Marden	M. D
"	P. H. Rundlett	S.

Closed a Commandery

Attest

Attendance 27 Chas. A. Stockman Rec.

In Memoriam

Nicholas Johnson
born in Newburyport, Mass.
January 23rd 1895

Saint Marks Lodge A. F. and A. M.

Entered Apprentice	February 16 1916
Fellow Craft.	March 15 1916
Master Mason	May 10 1916

King Cyrus Chapter R. A. M.

Mark Master	October 12 1916
Past Master	October 12 1916
Most Excellent Master	November 9 1916
Royal Arch Mason	December 14 1916

Amesbury Council of R. and S. Masters

Royal Master	February 26 1917
Select Master	Apr. 23 1917
Super Excellent Master	June 25 1917

Newburyport Commandery No 3 Ks. Ts.

Red Cross	January 18 1917
Temple	February 15 1917
Malta	January 18 1917

Died in Newburyport. Mass
October 2nd 1918

Newburyport December 12 1918

A Stated Conclave of Newburyport Com. #3 K.Ts was convened at the Asylum this evening at 7-30 o'clock

Present.	Em Sir.	Chas. P. Pillsbury	Com.
	"	Alfred W. Kimball	G.
	"	Oscar H. Nelson	C.G.
	"	Daniel A Lunt	S.W.
	"	Chas. W Perry Jr.	J.W
	Em. "	Joseph N. Dummer	P.
	"	Everett E. Hicken	T
	"	Chas. A Stockman	R.
	"	Gerald S. Bradford	St. B
	"	William McKay	Sw. B
	"	John Pow	W.
	"	C.P. A Hall	3rd G
	"	Alfred D Merrill	2nd G
	"	William E Bassett	1st G
	"	Prescott W Eaton	Asst G
	"	Arthur P. Marden	U. D
	"	Frank H. Rundlett	S.

Em Sirs G. E. Collins. B. Pearson. H W Little J.S. Butler. A K. Cheney, and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery

J. M. Bailey H.W. Bayley F.K. Bradford
H.S. Noyes A A H Whelpley A. F. Swain

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars

Records of last Conclave, read, and being found correct. were declared approved

Com. from Sir Kt. Royal L Stevens. thanking the Commandery for remitting his dues received and filed

General Order
#2
Christmas
Observance

Official Circular No 2 Series of 1918-1919 from the office of the R.E. Grand Commander containing the sentiment on Christmas Observance and the Grand Master's response read and ordered filed

The Officers unable to be present at the November Conclave. were duly installed by Commander Chas. P. Pillsbury assisted by Sir Chas. W. Perry Jr. acting as Grand Warden

There being no further business to come before the Commandery. it was closed by Com. Pillsbury.

Attendance 28

Attest
Chas. A Stockman
Recorder

Newburyport. December 25 1918

A Special Conclave of Newburyport Com. #3 K.Ts. was convened at the Asylum at eleven o'clock A.M. for the purpose of

"The Christmas Observance"

Present	Em. Sir.	C. F. Pillsbury	Commander
	"	A.W. Kimball	G
	"	C.H. Nelson	C.G.
	"	D. A. Lunt	S.W
	"	C.W. Perry Jr.	J.W
	" "	J. N. Dummer	P
	"	E. E. Hicken	T
	"	C. O. Stockman	R
	"	G.S. Bradford	St. B
	"	Wm. McKay	Sw. B
	"	John. Pow	W
	"	W. E Bassett	1st. G.
	"	S. Anderson	Asst G
	"	P. W. Eaton	" G
	"	A. P. Marden	M.D.
	"	F H Rundlett	S

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Em. Sirs W. R. Johnson. G. Davis. M Brown. C.J. Gurney C.F. Worthen. J.E. McCusker. W.G. Fisher. G.E. Collins B. Pearson. H.W. Little and A.K. Cheney 11

And the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Com.

A. J. Anderson
W. D. Adams
F. V. Brown
H W Bayley
H C Bates
H A Besse
J M Bailey
J E Baumgardner
F. H. Bollman
F. K. Bradford

J. M. Buswell
J. E. Blake
S. Besse
J W. Clark
L B Cheney
R. K. Cheney
F W Chandler
C. W. Cooke
W G. Dodge
S J Dauphinee

C. F. Damon
C C Emery
J. A. French
C E. Houghton
M. Kimball
G. W. Marquand
S. H McKinney
H. J. Noyes
A M Perry
D P. Page
W J Riley
C K Scott
W. C Patterson
J.H. Wheeler
J.H. Walker

J. T. Elliott
E W Eaton
J. W Gurney
C. E. Ives
F. L. Lattime
C. D. Montgomery
Geo. E. Morey
H.S. Noyes
F. E Page
A H Reynolds.
F. Richardson
C S Spaulding
A. A.H Whittlesey
C. E Worthen

J Elliott
D H. Elkins
F. M. Hoyt
G. A Johnson
P J. Lowell
R. J. McKinney
R. W. Nelson
E M. Osgood
C L Perkins
W. B Rogers
A. P. Swain
J W Talbot
T. F Walton
J Wright

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Visitors

Sir Kt. H.S. Holmes	St. Johns #1	Providence R.I	
" " Emil Niemi	Springfield #6	Springfield Mass	
" " F.L. Kimball	St. George #44	Beverly	"
" " W. F Howard	" " #44	Beverly	"
" " F.W. Tilton	De Witt Clinton	Portsmouth, N.H	
" " R.E. Eaton	De Witt Clinton	Portsmouth N.H.	
" " A Benedix	Apollo #16	Troy N.Y.	

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Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars

Em. Commander Charles F. Pillsbury stated that the Special Conclave was called in compliance the request of R. E. Grand Commander for "the Observance of Christmas"

The Commandery was declared at ease until the sound of the gavel.

Promptly at twelve o'clock the Commandery was called together, and the Commander read. The sentiment prepared by the "Committee on Christmas Observance" of the Grand Encampment of the U.S. of America

To Most Eminent Lee S. Smith Grand Master

The response of the Grand Master was read by the Recorder, and the Sir Knights participated

A toast was then offered. To the R. E. William J Bolton Grand Commander of Knights Templars of Massachusetts and Rhode Island

Toasts "To all Valiant and Magnanimous Knights wherever they may be dispersed on land or Sea

To those who have served our Country in this war

Roll of Honor

Samuel P. Coffin	Albert M. Genn
James H Johnston	Thomas J. Madock
William F. Merrill	Edward R Sandford
Frederick B. Wiley	

To the Memory of those Valiant Knights of Newburyport Commandery, who fought life battle with courage and fortitude and receiving the reward of victory, have laid down their armor. and passed to the great beyond.

Sir Knight	Edward M. Waitt	died	Jan. 15 1918
" "	George B. Blodgette	"	Jan. 17 1918
" "	William Gillis	"	Apr. 14 1918
" "	Morton B. Merrill	"	June 19 1918
" "	William M. Hale	"	Aug 27 1918
" "	Nicholas Johnson	"	Oct 2 1918

To those Sir Knights unable to be present on account of Sickness

Wilbur Abbott	William H Bayley.	J. D. Holland
Clement E Dans	Will Allchest	

To the Em. Commander, To the Past Commanders. To the Mayor (elect) Sir Knight David P. Page. and To the women of Essex Co. and city. for the sacrifices made. and great work done during the late war.

The Commandery was closed at 12-45. and Sir Knights enjoyed a social hour

Christmas Greetings
were received from the following

Saint Johns	Commandery	No 1	Providence	R. I.
Boston	"	" 2	Boston	Mass
Worcester County	"	5	Worcester	"
Springfield	"	6	Springfield	"
De-Molay	"	7	Boston	"
Holy Sepulchre	"	8	Pawtucket	R. I.
Pilgrim	"	9	Lowell	Mass
Palestine	"	10	Chelsea	"
Milford	"	11	Milford	"
Saint Bernard	"	12	Boston	"
Calvary	"	13	Providence	R. I.
Haverhill	"	14	Haverhill	Mass.
Old Colony	"	15	Abington	"
Sutton	"	16	New Bedford	"
Jerusalem	"	19	Fitchburg	"
Hugh de Payens	"	20	Melrose	"
Saint Omer	"	21	Dorchester	"
Connecticut Valley	"	23	Greenfield	"
Woonsocket	"	24	Woonsocket	R. I
Joseph Warren	"	26	Roxbury	Mass

William Parkman	Comm.	No 28	E. Boston	Mass
Bristol	"	" 29	Attleboro	"
Northampton	"	" 30	Northampton	"
South Shore	"	" 31	E. Weymouth	"
Coeur de Leon	"	" 34	Charlestown	"
Gethesemane	"	" 35	Newtonville	"
Athol	"	" 37	Athol	"
Bay State	"	" 38	Brockton	"
Cyprus	"	" 39	Hyde Park	"
Saint Paul	"	" 40	North Adams	"
Saint George	"	" 44	Beverly	"
Quincy	"	" 47	Quincy	"
Saint Johns	"	" 3	Bangor	Me.
Bradford	"	" 4	Biddeford	"
Saint Armand	"	" 20	Kennebunk	"
Mount Horeb	"		Concord	N.H.
Hugh de Payens	"		Keene	"
Trinity	"		Manchester	"
Pilgrim	"		Laconia	"
De Witt Clinton	"		Portsmouth	"

William J Bolton R. E. Grand Commander
Harry G Pollard Grand Generalissimo
James A Gunn Grand Captain of the Guard
Percy W. Witherell Asst. Inspector Instructor 44
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Attendance Sir Knights of Newburyport Com. 90
Visiting " " 7
total 97

Attest
Charles. A Stockman
Recorder

Telegrams to Most Em. Grand Master to R. E. Grand Commander and Div Commander were sent at 12 o'clock

Newburyport January 16 1919

A Stated Conclave of Newburyport Commandery of Knights Templars No 3 was convened this Thursday evening at the Asylum on State Street at 7 30 oclock

Present

Em. Sir	Charles F. Pillsbury	Com.
"	Alfred. W. Kimball	Gen
"	Oscar H. Nelson	C.G.
"	Daniel A. Lunt	S.W
"	×Charles. A Stockman	R
"	Gerald S. Bradford	St. B
"	John Pow	W
"	Charles F. A. Hall	3rd G.
"	Alfred. D. Merrill	2nd G
"	William E Bassett	1st G.
"	Edward R. Ayers Jr.	Asst G
"	Sanfred Anderson	" "
"	Prescott W. Eaton	" "
"	Arthur P. Marden	M.D
"	Frank H. Rundlett	S.
"	×Chas. W. Perry Jr.	J.W.

Em. Sirs W.R. Johnson Green Davis, S.L. Porter J.S. Butler A.K. Cheney and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Com. No 3

W. Abbott. J.M. Bailey P.S. Galugrain
G. E. Morey C.D. Montgomery.

Opened as a Commandery of Knights Templars
Records of last Stated and Special Conclave read and approved

Demit
Granted
C.S Spaulding

A communication was read from Sir Knight Charles S. Spaulding requesting a Demit. he being square on the books it was granted

The following applications for the Order were presented

Harold Forsyth Lunt Companion Harold Forsyth Lunt Newburyport. Undertaker
Born in Newburyport Mass November 13 1889
Occupation Undertaker
Member of Saint Johns Lodge and King Cyrus Chapter
Recommended by Sir Knights C. W. Perry Jr. W. E. Bassett
J. M. Bailey and A. K. Cheney. Received and referred
to Em Sir H. W. Little and Sirs C. F. A. Hall. A. P. Marden
for investigation

Charles Frederic Johnson Companion Charles Frederic Johnson Newburyport
Born in Boston. Mass December 11 1860
Occupation Physician
Member of Saint Johns Lodge and King Cyrus Chapter
Recommended by Em Sirs C. F. Pillsbury I. S. Butler and
Sirs C. F. A. Hall H. W. Bayley. Received and referred to
Em. Sir W. R. Johnson. Green Davis and Sir A. W. Kimball
for investigation

Petition to Grand Com. for Joint Jurisdiction over Ipswich It was voted that the Recorder be instructed to petition to the Grand Commandery for Concurrent jurisdiction over the town of Ipswich with St George Com. #44 of Beverly

Attendance 26

Attest
Charles. A Stockman
Recorder

Newburyport February 14 1919

A Special Conclave of Newburyport. Com. #3 K.T. was convened at Masonic Hall this Friday noon at 1-15 P.M. for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late frater
Captain William H. Bayley

Present.	Em Sir	Charles. F. Pillsbury	Commander
	"	Oscar H. Nelson	C. G.
	"	Chas. A Stockman	Recorder
"	"	Henry W. Little	Warder P.T.
	"	Chas F. A. Hall.	3rd Guard
"	"	Jos. N. Dummer	Prelate
	"	William E. Bassett	1st Guard
	"	Edward R. Ayers Jr.	Asst Guard
	"	Frank. H Randlett	Sentinel

Em. Sirs B. Pearson. I. S. Butler and the following Sir Knights of Newburyport Commandery No 3.
R. G. Adams. H. E. Lombard. C. D. Montgomery
H. J. Noyes
Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars

Carriages were taken to the residence of our departed Frater. after the service which was conducted by Rev. H. E Lombard was concluded. The Templar Burial Service was rendered by the officers of the Commandery, the body of our late friend and Sir Knight was escorted to the Oak Hill Cemetery and laid to rest. ("Until the day break and the shadows flee away.") by Em Sirs H. W. Little I. S. Butler and Sirs R. L. Lattime. C A Stockman acting as Pall Bearers.
The Commandery returned to the Asylum and was dismissed

Attendance 15

Attest Charles. A Stockman
Recorder

Newburyport February 20 1919

A Regular Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No. 3 Kts. was held this Thursday evening at 7-30 o'clock at Masonic Hall on State Street

Present

Em. Sir Chas. P. Pillsbury Com.
Alfred W. Kimball Gen
Oscar H. Nelson C.G.
Daniel A. Lunt S.W.
Chas. W. Perry Jr. J.W.
Joseph N. Dummer P
Chas. A. Stockman Rec.
Gerald S. Bradford St. B
William McKay Sw. B
John Porr W
Chas. P. A. Hall 3rd G
Alfred D. Merrill 2nd G
William E. Bassett 1st G
Edward P. Ayers Jr. Asst. G
Sanfred Anderson " G
Prescott W. Eaton " G
Arthur P. Marden M.D.
Frank H. Rundlett S

Em. Sirs W. R. Johnson. Green Davis. H. W. Little I. S. Butler and the following Sir Kts of Newburyport Commandery

A. M. Alley. F. K. Bradford J. M. Bailey
H. W. Bayley. L. B. Cheney J. Elliott
A. W. Genn C. E. Houghton F. E. Page
A. G. Reynolds. A. P. Swain A. S. Twombly

Visitor
Sir Kt T. F. Adams Jos. Warren Com. Roxbury Mass

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars

Records of last Stated and Special Conclave read and approved

Voted that a page of the Records be set aside and dedicated to the memory of late frater. Captain William H. Bayley

Comp H. F. Lunt rejected

The Committee reported on the application of Companion Harold F. Lunt. a ballot was ordered. and he was declared rejected

Comp C. F. Johnson elected

The Committee reported on the application of Companion Charles F. Johnson. a ballot was ordered. and he was declared elected to receive the Orders. as conferred by Newburyport Com.

It was voted that a committee of Five be appointed to formulate plans for attending the Triennial to be held in Philadelphia September 1919. and report the same at the next Conclave

Em Sirs I. S. Butler J. N. Dummer. W. G. Fisher G. E. Collins and H. W. Little were appointed to serve as that Committee

Red Cross on Comp C. F. Johnson

The Ill. order of the Red Cross was conferred upon Comp. Chas. F. Johnson

Sir Knight H. W. Bayley thanked the Commandery for the courtesies extended. and flowers sent to his father during his illness and subsequent death

Commandery closed

Attendance
Sir Knight 34
Vis " " 1
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Attest
Charles A. Stockman
Recorder

In Memoriam

Sir Knight William H Bayley

Born in Newburyport
September 9th 1834

Saint Johns Lodge AF and A.M.

Entered Apprentice	October 21 1858
Fellow craft	March 17 1859
Master Mason	March 22 1859

King Cyrus Chapter R.A.M.

Mark Master Mason	December 9 1859
Past Master	December 9 1859
Most Excellent Master	December 9 1859
Royal Arch Mason	December 15 1859

Newburyport Commandery No 3

Red Cross	July 13 1866
Temple	September 21 1866
Malta	November 23 1866

Died February 11 1919

Newburyport March 20 1919

A Stated Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No 3 was convened at the Asylum, Masonic Hall, State Street this evening at 7-20 o'clock

Present

Em. Sir	Charles F. Pillsbury	Com.
"	Alfred W. Kimball	Gen
"	Oscar H. Nelson	C.G.
"	Daniel A Hunt	S.W
"	Charles W. Perry Jr.	J.W.
" "	Joseph N Dummer	P.
"	Charles A. Stockman	R.
"	Gerald S. Bradford	St. B.
"	John Pow	W.
"	Charles F.A. Hall	3rd G.
"	Alfred D. Merrill	2nd G.
"	William E. Bassett	1st G.
"	Edward R. Ayers Jr.	Asst G
"	Sanford Anderson	" "
"	Arthur P. Marden	M.D
"	Frank H Rundlett	S. –

Em. Sirs H.R. Johnson G. Davis W.G. Fisher H.W Little D.S. Butler, and the following Knights of Newburyport Commandery No 3

W. Abbott J.M. Bailey F.K. Bradford E.H. Dow
G.W. Henry C.E. Houghton G.A. Johnson G.E. Morey
C.G. Merrit H.S. Noyes F.E. Page A.H. Reynolds
A.F. Swain A.S. Twombly W.J. Webster

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars

Records of last Conclave read and approved

Com. from Dover Commandery asking for information in regard to an Outing planned by them in this vicinity

was answered by the Comm

Em Sir Butler chairman of the Committee on Triennial Conclave reported that "The Masters agency had outlined a trip to Philadelphia and furnished copies of the same. which had been mailed to Sir Knights with the notice of this meeting and that a party of fifty (50) including ladies had been pledged to go and that the Sir Knights be urged the necessity of signing up at once. as the Agency required a guarantee at once for reservation of rooms &c by the Commandery attested by the Recorder

It was voted that Newburyport Commandery No 3 attend the "Triennial to be held in Philadelphia September 1919

It was voted that Sir Knight A.S. Twombly be added to the committee and that he be requested to invite the Sir Knights of Dover N.H. Commandery to join with us in this pilgrimage

It was voted that "The Triennial Conclave Committee" be empowered to make the necessary guarantee to the Masters Agency for reservations &c. to be attested by the Recorder

It was voted that the Commandery celebrate Saint Johns Day June 24 1919. and that Saint Pauls Commandery of Dover N.H be entertained on their passing through our jurisdiction. the following Committee to act jointly with the Council was appointed. C.F.A Hall. H.S. Noyes. A.H. Reynolds E.R. Ayers Jr. W.E. Bassett and C.W. Perry Jr.

It was voted that the serious illness of Knight W.A. Usher be left in the hands of the Council for investigation with full power.

Commandery Closed

Attendance 36

Attest Chas. A. Stockman Rec.

Newburyport April 16 1919

A Stated Conclave of Newburyport Commandery No 3 K.Ts. was convened at the Asylum on State Street this Thursday evening at 7-30 P.M

Present

Em. Sir	Charles P. Pillsbury	Com
"	Alfred W. Kimball	G.
"	Oscar H. Nelson	C.G.
"	Daniel A. Lunt	S.W
"	Charles W. Perry Jr	J.W.
Em. "	Joseph N. Dummer	P.
"	Charles A. Stockman	Rec.
"	Gerald S. Bradford	St. B
"	John. Porr	W
"	Charles F.A. Hall	3rd G
"	Alfred D. Merrill	2nd G
"	William E Bassett	1st. G.
"	E.R. Ayers Jr.	Asst G.
"	Sanfred Anderson	" G.
"	Prescott W. Eaton	" G.
"	Arthur P. Marden	M.D.
"	Frank H. Rundlett	S.

Em. Sirs H.W. Little I.S. Butler and the following Knights of Newburyport Commandery No 3

A.H. Berry A.M. Genn C.E. Houghton S.H. McKinney
E.P. Noyes. H.S. Noyes. F.E. Page W.F. Swain
J. Wright

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templars

Records read and declared approved

Business suspended in the Commandery

and A Priory of the Order of Malta opened

Order of Malta
C.F. Johnson

And upon Comp. Charles Frederic Johnson the Order of Malta was conferred

The purpose for which the Priory of Malta had been opened having been accomplished it was declared closed. and business resumed in the Commandery

The chairman of Triennial Conclave Committee Em Sir Butler reported that the Marlin Touring Agency had been guaranteed 52 persons for the trip to Philadelphia. that number of persons having signified their intentions of participating in the pilgrimage. and also had told them that we were in hopes to have sixty (60) on the trip.

Saint Johns Day Committee had no plans to offer at this Conclave

There being no further business to come before the Commandery it was closed in regular form

Attendance 28

Attest
Chas. A Stockman Recorder

Newburyport. May 15 1919

A regular Conclave of Newburyport Comy. #3 K.T. was convened in Masonic Hall on Thursday afternoon at

Present

Em. Sir	C.P. Pillsbury	Com.
"	A.W. Kimball	Gen.
"	G.H. Nelson	C.G.
"	D.A. Lunt	S.W
"	C.W. Perry Jr.	J.W
" "	J.N. Dummer	P
"	C.A. Stockman	Rec.
"	G.S. Bradford	Tr.B
"	W. McKay	Sw.B
"	J. Porr	W.
"	E.F.A. Hall	3rd G.
"	A.D. Merrill	2nd G.
"	W.E. Bassett	1st G.
"	E.R. Ayer Jr.	Ant G
"	S. Anderson	" "
"	P.W. Eaton	
"	A.P. Marden	M.D
"	F.H. Rundlett	S. —

Em. Sir W.R. Johnson G. Davis. M. Brown. C.J. Gurney C.F. Worthen. J.E. McCusker W.G. Fisher G.E. Collins. Benj. Pearson. N.W. Little. S.L. Porter. I.S. Butler A.K. Cheney and the following Knights of Newburyport Commandery No. 3.

A.M. Alley A.J. Anderson H.C. Austin A.T. Atkinson
W.D. Adams R.G. Adams. W. Abbott H.T. Ames
W.E. Aubin H.W. Bayley J. Black H.C. Bates
L. Berry. J.M. Bailey J.E. Baumgartner F.K. Bradford
J.W. Clark L.B. Cheney F.W. Chandler C.W. Cooke
R.K. Cheney G.R. Calkins C.C. Davis W.G. Dodge
S.J. Dauphinee G.H. Dow. H.E. Dodge C.F. Damon
J.T. Elliott J. Elliott C.C. Emery D.H. Elkins
G.D. Flanders C.L. Flanders G.A. Fogg I.A. French

A.M. Genn J.W. Gurney P.S. Gulugian J.R. Graves
R.S. Getchell W.P. Greenleaf P.M. Hoyt C.E. Houghton
C.W. Henry W.P. Houston G.A. Johnson A.S. Jewell
W.B. Jones M. Kimball J.E. Lunt W.P. Lovell
E.W. Lambert W.P. Lunt F.L. Lattime P.J. Lovell
Geo W. Marquand F.O. Moore C.D. Montgomery W.E. Morrill
R.J. McKinney G.E. Morey C.G. Merrill T.J. Matlock
S.H. McKinney R.W. Nelson H.J. Noyes H.S. Noyes
E.P. Noyes E.M. Osgood G.E. Philbrook A.N. Perry
F.E. Page C.L. Perkins A.G. Perkins F.W. Piper
A.H. Reynolds B.A. Rogers W.B. Rogers W.J. Riley
A.F. Swan P.M. Sewell C.R. Scott J.W. Talbot
A.A. Whelpley F.P. Walton A.P. Wilson W.J. Webster
C.E. Worthen J. Wright

Visitors Sir J. Warren Brown De Witt Clinton Portsmouth
Sir Herbert Law Haverhill No 14 Haverhill
" Sydney G. Stanton " " " "
" Frank N. Hills " " " "
" Gustav A. Stachelbau Bethany " 17 Lawrence
" Arthur E. Sleeper " " 17 "
" Arthur C. Homans Bethlehem " 43 Gloucester
" William P. Dunbar St George " 44 Beverly
" Henry W. Welder St Aldemar " 17 Houlton Maine

Opened a Commandery of Knight Templars in long form.

Records of last Conclave read and approved

Petition of Comp. James Fiske Chase

The following application for the Orders was presented
Companion James Fiske Chase Salisbury Mass Born in Newburyport Dec. 13 1871 Occupation Wood Worker Member of St. Johns Lodge and King Cyrus Chapter Recommended by Em. Sir I.S. Bellis. and Sirs H.W. Bayley. A.F. Swan C.A. Stockman

Petition received and placed on file. and referred to Em Sir W.R. Johnson. and Sirs J. Pow. A.W. Kimball for investigation

The Order of the Temple was conferred upon Comp. Charles Frederic Johnson to the last section when a recess was declared. and the Commandery with their visitors repaired to Griffin Hall where an excellent banquet was awaiting them under the direction of Knight Schlenber. after partaking of the good things spread before us The Knights returned to the Asylum. for the purpose of inspection. promptly at 7-45 the Commandery was called to order. and business resumed. Em Sir Pillsbury requested the Generalissimo to retire. and ascertain if Em Sir William W. Appleton Div. Com. of the Fourth Division was in the adjoining anteroom. and to inform him that Newburyport Commandery awaited his pleasure. Gen. Kimball retired and returned at once escorting Em. Sir George W. Palmer Past Commander of Haverhill Com. #14 and Deputy Grand Warden of the Fourth Division who informed Com. Pillsbury that Em Sir William W. Appleton Div. Commander of the 4th Division. was in waiting in an adjoining apartment for the purpose of making an Official Inspection of Newburyport Commandery Em. Sir Pillsbury informed him that he recognized his authority. and wait upon forthwith with a committee. which was formed at once. consisting of all the past Commanders present. under the direction of the Generalissimo. proceeded to the anteroom. and returned escorting. R.E. Sir Frank L. Nagle Grand Standard Bearer of the Grand Encampment of U.S.A. who was accompanied by Em Sir Asa Clark Jewett as Deputy Grand Warden and -

R. E. Sir George Elmer Danforth Past Grand Commander of the State of New Hampshire R. E. Sir Freeman C. Hersey Past Grand Commander of the State of Mass. after customary greetings they were seated in the East. and the Committee retired to the ante-room and escorted to the Asylum.

Em. Sir W. W. Appleton and Suite — Em. Sir William W. Appleton Past Com. of Haverhill Com. #14 and Division Commander of the 4th Division with the following Suite

Em. Sir Harry G. Pollard P.C. Pilgrim C.G. of Grand Com.
" " James S. Blake P.C. Boston G.S.W. " "
" " Charles H. Austin P.C. St George G.St.B. " " N.H.
" " William R Milton Com. of De Molay #7
" " Frank B. Kenney " " Pilgrim #9
" " Frederick W. Faunce " " Palestine #10
" " George E. Durgin " " Haverhill #14
" " Edgar S. Rideout " " St George #44
" " Donald M Cameron Gen " Pilgrim #9
" " Sam. A. McGregor " " Haverhill #14
" " Frederick H. Briggs C.G. " Boston #2
Em. " Frederick C. Graves P.C. " " #2
" " Jos T. Paul P.C " " #2
" " Edson K. Humphrey P.C " Pilgrim #9
" " Harry A. Thompson P.C. " " #9
" " W. E. Ellis P.C. " Haverhill #14
" " F. H. Tilton P.C. " " #14
" " F. D. McGregor P.C " " #14
" " Geo. W. Knowlton P.C " Jos. Warren #26
" " Herman F. Hawthorne P.C " Cambridge #42
" " George B Colesworthy P.C " " #42
" " Edgar S. Taft P.C. " Bethlehem #43
" " Edwin A. Bradley P.C " " #43
" " W. A. Homans P.C. " " #43
" " Wm. Emerson Parsons P.C. " " #43
" " Aaron Cogswell P.C. " " #43
" " George V. Fisher P.C. " " #43
" " A. Simpson Lyle P.C. " " #43

E. Sir Frank R. Starkey P.C. St George #44
" " George S. Lunnocks " " #44
" " Albert B. George S.W. Haverhill #14
" " J. Fred Johnson Rec. " #14
" " William Henry Patten P.C St George Nashua N.H.
" " Chas T. Patten " " " "
" " J. Howard Gile Gen. " " " "

and Em. Sir George W. Palmer Past Com. of Haverhill No 14 as Dep. Grand Warden of the 4th Division.

After the introduction of the Suite the Em. Commander escorted the Ins. Officer to the head of the Commandery and resigned to him. he immediately the official count to be made as follows.

Members in Uniform	138
" not in "	00
" (visitors)	28
Suite	(40)
total	206

Inspection and review then followed under the supervision of Em. Sir Asa Clark Jewett. he being deputised to act for R. E. Sir Dana who was unable to be present

The Charter - By-Laws & Records were examined and the Ritual numbers as follows were noted

Red Cross	2843
"	2844
Prelates	427
Red Cross & Malta	5253

Temple — The inspecting officer resigned the head of the lines. and the Commander proceeded with the work of the evening and Comp. Chgdr. Frederic
C. F. Johnson — Johnson received the Order of the Temple

The inspecting officer after complimentary remarks to the Officers and Knights made the following report of the inspection

Inspection Report

20%	Attendance (138)	20%
40%	Ritual	30%
10%	Military Movements	9%
10%	" Floor Work	9%
20%	" Appearance	18%
100%		86%

The Commander presented at this time a badge of Newburyport Commandery to Division Commander and Warder suitably inscribed as a memento of the occasion. After remarks were made by R.E. Sir Frank L. Nagle. E.C Hersey and Geo E. Danforth and others the Inspecting Officer and his Suite at his request were escorted to the Ante-room by the Committee of Past Commanders. And there being no further business to come before the Commandery it was closed by Com. Pillsbury

Attest Charles A Stockman
Recorder

Attendance
Members. 138
V. — 28
Suite (40
Total 206

Newburyport June 19 1919

A Stated Conclave of Newburyport Com. #3 was convened at the Asylum this evening

Present.	Em. Sir	C F. Pillsbury	Com.
	"	A. W Kimball	G
	"	C H Nelson	C. G.
	"	D. A Hunt	S. W
	"	C W Perry Jr.	J. W.
	" "	J. N. D[illegible]	P
	"	C A Stockman	Rec.
	"	J. Pow	W. —
	"	C. F. A. Hall	3rd G
	"	A D. Merrill	2nd G
	"	W E Bassett	1st G
	"	S. Anderson	Amt G
	"	P W. Eaton	" G
	"	A P. Marden	M D
	"	P H. Rundlett	S

E.M. Sir William R. Johnson. and the following Knights of Newburyport Com. —

W. E. Aubin. J M. Bailey R. K. Cheney G. H. Dow
A M Genn R. S. Galuzdin C E Houghton G. E Morey
H. S. Noyes. E L. Perkins J W Talbot

Opened a Commandery of Knights Templar

Records of last Stated Conclave read and Approved

Conf. J. F Chase accepted Committee on the Application of James Fiske Chase reported. a ballot was ordered and he was declared elected to receive the Order as Conferred by Newburyport Com. —

The Committee on St. Johns Day reported that they had engaged Amesbury Cadet Band. and also dinner at the Little Neck Hotel Ipswich Mass

It was voted that the Stated Conclaves of July and August be omitted. and that the next Stated Conclave be held the third Thursday in September

J. F. Chase
Red Cross

Business was suspended in the Commandery and a Council of the Ill. Order of the Red Cross opened. And Companion James Fiske Chase received the Order of the Red Cross

J. F. Chase
Malta

Closed a Council of Ill. Order of the Red Cross and a Priory of the Order of Malta was opened and upon Comp James F. Chase the Order was conferred.

Closed a Priory of the Order of Malta. and business was resumed in the Commandery

There being no further business to come before the Commandery at this time it was closed
Attendance 27

Attest
Chas. A Stockman Recorder